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JOHN L. GEROW IS NEW SCHOOL TRUSTEE

H. C. King Also Nominated But Withdrew Before Poll Closed

At the nomination of candidates for school trustee on Friday morning last, the names of Mr. H. C. King and John L. Gerow were the only ones brought forward, the former withdrawing his consent to run previous to the closing of the polls, and thus leaving Mr. Gerow elected by acclamation to fill the unexpired term of Ex-Trustee Ross. This term continues until December next, when another election will be necessary for two trustees, including Trustees Gerow, Washburn and Covey.

It is thought that a good choice has been made in Trustee Gerow, and although he has not mingled in either municipal or school affairs, he has followed both since his arrival here two years ago.

Mr. Charles Mohr, formerly of Revelstoke, B. C., has accepted a position at the Wainwright Hotel as clerk, in the temporary absence of Mr. Harry Callahan.

Russel Fox, who resides a short distance north of town, had the misfortune last week to get kicked by a horse, fracturing one of the smaller bones of his leg. He is at present moving around on a crutch.

An addition to a building which was moved to the corner of Third Avenue and Queen St. is now being made by local carpenters. It is stated that the building is being transformed into a restaurant, which will be known as the farmer's eating place.

A very effective solo was sung at Sunday night's evangelistic services in the Presbyterian Church by Mrs. Frank Lush, and her selection was attentively listened to by the large congregation present.

Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefitted by taking these Tablets. For sale by all dealers.

An automobile party visited here on Monday, the members being representative Hardisty men, who came over to inspect the town school with the purpose of duplicating the plans in the construction of a similar building at that point. A. Johnston, W. Daniel, W. A. Skinner, W. G. Whyte, Wm. Adams, H. B. Wood, W. Watters, W. N. Ager, M. L. Madsen and Alex Mursell made up the party.

Mr. W. R. Hayward and Miss Graden, of Vermilion, visited here by auto on Sunday last, and brought Mr. A. Girard down from the North country to attend his sister's funeral.

According to the provincial game act, geese can be shot at anytime, providing a license is secured from the district game warden. Taking advantage of this, it is reported that numerous birds have been secured already this year at and around Baxter Lake.

A DAY OF MOURNING

Memorial to Late President of G.T.P. Observed Here Fittingly

On Thursday last, the town and citizens paid respects to the late Charles Melville Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and throughout the entire day, flags flew at half mast from the tops of both business and public houses. The station was draped in crepe, and at the railway offices, work was laid aside for a period of five minutes.

EXCURSION TRAINS TO RUN BETWEEN EDMONTON AND WAINWRIGHT FOR JULY FIRST, CELEBRATION

Athletic Association Accepts Offer of G.T.P. and Trains will Run from Edmonton - Biggar

An excursion train has already been arranged for from Edmonton to bring in sightseers and holiday makers to Wainwright's annual celebration on July 1st. An acceptance of an offer, submitted by the G.T.P., through local Station Agent Harper, has been made and the fare will be less than the single trip rate or $3.20 adult and $1.65 child.

Another special will doubtless be arranged for between Biggar and all intervening points east. In fact this has also been accepted on certain conditions, and the fares in this case will correspond and compare with those from Edmonton to Intermediate points. The fare from Biggar will be $3.65.

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darius Downey, of Newberg Junction, N. B., writes "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effectual and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

John T. Bowles, who was laid up for several weeks in the Edmonton hospital with a bad attack of typhoid, but who has been in Vegreville convalescing, is in town this week. Since his illness, Mr. Bowles has gained many pounds of avoirdupois and is now in excellent health.

Grading work still continues in the town, and several streets are looking a great deal better for the work being done. The established grade on Fourth Avenue, between Alberta and Dominion Streets, makes a better appearance for the highway but the residents of the street are perched on pinnacles and thrown into hollows.

Harry Callahan, one of the clerks at the Wainwright Hotel, is a visitor to Moose Jaw this week on business.

Mr. R. E. Campbell, late of Chamberlain, N. D., arrived here last week, and is visiting his friend, Harry Callahan. Mr. Campbell has leased the barber shop in the Palace Pool room, and will take possession about May 5th.

A dance has been arranged for next Friday night by the young men of the town, and considering the fact that this is the first for sometime past, it will doubtless be largely attended. Local bachelors will figure prominettly in the affair, under whose auspices it is being held.

$25,000 COAL CHUTE WILL BE-BUILT HERE

Structure 954 Feet in Length will be Started at Once and Freight Shed will be Built

From plans and specifications which have already be drawn up by the Bridge and Building department of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, Wainwright will share in the building operations which will be carried on at various points in the west this summer, and the official report is now circulated that buildings to the extent of approximately $30,000 will be erected here at once.

As soon as material arrives, and it is now on the way for this point, a large freight shed will be erected, adjoining the Massey-Harris warehouse here, the dimensions of the structure to be forty feet wide by eighty feet in length. The approximate cost of the building will be $4,000, and will be under the supervision of Mr. C. R. Tredger, Master of Bridges and Buildings.

The most important structure to be erected will be an enormous coal chute, nine hundred and fifty-four feet in length, with a capacity of 100,000 tons. Four chutes will convey the coal from each pocket, and in all, thirty-two pockets will constitute the storage outlets. Provision will thus be made for many trains to be loaded at once, and for as many as trackage space will permit. The cost of this structure will be in the vicinity of $25,000, and will be supervised by Mr. Tredger. It will be erected in the rear of the storage water tank.

Wainwright will then become a point where coal to be used along the line will be stored, and the construction of such an important building here will mean much to coaling facilities between terminals.

Irma will Celebrate Victoria Day, May 24

Irma will celebrate May 24th. Baseball and football will form the chief attractions with a dance in the evening. Four baseball teams will compete for the Irma cup. Horse racing and other lines of sport are also advertised and are scheduled to take place.

ANOTHER CHINESE RESTAURANT

According to the local representatives of the "yellow race", a Chinese restaurant will shortly start on Second Avenue, the property owned by Frank Bowtell on that street having lately been purchased by Quon Hall and Quon Kong, the present proprietors of the Chinese restaurant on Main Street. These two gentlemen, who are better known as "Slim" and "Fat", state that they will start the erection of a suitable building as soon as the building now on the lot is removed.

James McKay, the well-known local horseman, left here on Saturday last for Sedgewick with five heavy work teams. Mr. McKay now has seven teams working on C. P. R. grading, near Sedgewick and will remain in that vicinity for the balance of the summer. His teams were greatly admired by local horsemen.

Mr. Herbert Bates, of Minden Ont. arrived here on Saturday last, and is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Martin.

DIVINE SERVICES HAVE BEEN FRAUGHT WITH RESULTS MOST NOTICEABLE IN CHARACTER

Campaign of Evangelism Has Proved Profitable from Every Viewpoint

Rev. D. J. Craig, who has been conducting special services in the Presbyterian Church here since April 14th, will close his visit tonight, when a special service of thanksgiving and praise will be held, in gratefulness to God for the good work which has been accomplished.

During his visit, Rev. Mr. Craig has had a very successful mission and numerous attendants have joined the church. He is undoubtedly one of the ablest speakers ever heard in these parts and he has proven himself an impressive and successful evangelist.

Mr. W. J. McBratney, the tenor soloist and director of song, who accompanies Rev. Mr. Craig, has been very popular and has done much good work throughout the services. He is recognized as one of the strongest and most effective singers in Canada.

I.O.O.F. OBSERVED 93rd. ANNIVERSARY

Local Odd Fellows turned out in body on Sunday morning last and paraded to the Methodist Church, where a special service was held by Rev. Thos. Philps, who is Chaplain of the local lodge. Rev. Mr. Philps delivered a very impressive sermon which was deservedly appreciated by those who attended.

The text for the occasion was taken from 1 Peter 2-17,—"Honour all men, Love the brotherhood. Fear God, Honour the King".

KNIGHTS PREPARE FOR SESSION OF GRAND LODGE

Grand Lodge Representative Lally in Charge of Arrangements which are Now Being Made

Further preparations are now being made by local members of the Knights of Pythias for the reception and entertainment of the visiting brethren who will attend the session of grand lodge to be held here on June 11, 12 and 13. It is understood that various committees have been appointed to have full charge of the many ceremonies which will take place. Indications point to a most successful session and Grand Lodge Representative, Past Chancellor Lally is busily engaged making the necessary preparations.

Last year the annual meeting of grand lodge was held in Claresholm and several local lodgemen attended. Through the efforts of Past Chancellor Fieldhouse, consent was obtained to hold this year's session at this point. It is estimated that upwards of three hundred will be in attendance and this number will include many of the members wives and lady friends. Higher degrees and ranks will be conferred, chief of which will be the rank of Dokkies.

Past Chancellor Lally is very enthusiastic and is doing all in his power to make this year's session a distinct success from every standpoint.

TALENTED YOUNG LADY UNEXPECTEDLY EXPIRES

Miss Bernadetta Girard Succumbs to Uncommon Illness — Funeral Largely Attended

After an illness extending over a period of several months, Miss Bernadetta Girard succumbed rather unexpectedly on Friday morning last, the immediate cause of death according to Dr. Watson, the attending physician, being anathae or thinning of the blood.

The late Miss Girard was in the nineteenth year of her age and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Girard, who reside on Third Avenue. The deceased was a very talented young lady and was an accomplished musician. Among her numerous friends, she was extremely popular and her loss will be keenly felt.

Floral tributes were many and beautiful and showed the high esteem in which the deceased young lady was held. The funeral was held on Monday morning, high mass of requiem being observed in the Catholic Church where the service was preached by Rev. Father Carpenter. Numerous friends attended and preceeded with the last remains to the rural cemetery where interment was made.

The late Miss Girard is survived by six brothers and one sister beside the sorrowing parents. Ulric, Aleid, Albert and Euclide reside here with their parents, while Arthur of Edmonton, and Antonio of Hawkins, Alta., are also brothers and were in attendance at the funeral. One young sister, Marie, also resides here.

Keenest sympathy of the town and community goes out to the sorrowing parents, brothers and sister, in their loss.

Beautifying Grounds Has Been Started

Grading on the grounds, adjoining the G. T. P. station here started on Monday by Arthur Johnston who has the contract for this work. Men are now at work getting the ground in shape for the planting of trees and shrubs. The work will be completed in the next two months.

NEW LAW FIRM HANGS OUT SHINGLE

Fieldhouse & Williams is the new sign, appearing on the windows of the office which has been occupied by Mr. H. V. Fieldhouse here for the past three years. The new law firm which was formed last winter consists of Mr. Fieldhouse and Mr. E. B. Williams, a prominent and successful Edmonton solicitor. The firm has offices in the Sugarman Block, Edmonton, and Mr. Williams is at present managing the office in that city.

Keeping apace with their usual progressiveness, Messrs. Small Bros. have made arrangements for two reels of motion pictures, portraying that beautiful and fraternal play, "Damon and Pythias". These reels will be shown tonight and tomorrow night and all who would witness high class pictures should attend.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

WRESTLING PROVES POPULAR

Wallace Met Defeat at Hands of Renowned Olson at Holden

Wallace, who wrestled Howard here two weeks ago, figured in another at Holden last week, and his opponent was none other than Olson of local fame. Wallace won the first fall in eight minutes, but strange to say, Olson won the second and the third and the match. Wrestling is a favourite pastime along the G. T. P.

POSSIBLE THAT THIS POINT WILL BE CHOSEN AS SITE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF LEATHER TANNERY

Eastern Man Writes Board of Trade with View to Locating Tannery at this Point

A communication has been received by Secretary King of the local board of Trade from a party in Montreal who desires to establish a tannery in some part of Alberta, and he desires information as to what chances there would be for starting such a business in this vicinity. The communication was dealt with at Monday night's meeting of the board and further information will be forwarded at once.

The advisability of offering inducement for such an industry was thought questionable, yet the board of trade will keep in touch with this particular matter, and when the time is fully ripe, action will start. Data will be gathered by Secretary King and his reply will be written accordingly.

John Ruste who has been in Norway for the past eighteen months returned here last Saturday. During his absence, Mr. Ruste has visited his old home in Dovre, and has been engaged in railroad contracting. He brought several of his countrymen back with him, and will take up farming again in the district.

Mr. D. Campbell, who has been on the mail service between Rivers and this point for the past two years, made his last trip last week. Mr. Campbell is taking a year's leave of absence and will go into real estate in Winnipeg. His many friends here will regret his departure from this service.

STOCK FOR SALE—3 milch cows, good milkers; 2 three year old colts, one horse, 1200 lbs., both well broke to work, mare 9½ years old. Can be seen at the farm of the undersigned, 5 miles due north of the Battle River bridge on Vermilion trail. Will sell cheap for cash. Apply in person or by letter

Chas. Coefield, 28-47-6

DOG TAX NOTICE

All owners of dogs are requested to procure dog tags at once. All dogs running at large after May 1st., without tags will be placed in the pound and if not redeemed in 48 hours will be disposed of.

Gordon Walton,
Chief of Police

Mr. Charles Plaxton arrived here a few days ago and is the guest of his son, Charles of Gilt Edge. Mr. Plaxton, who is an old Winnipeger, is interested in farm lands in the district.

SUGGESTION THAT TOWN PLANT TREES

Wise Proposal that Town Fall in Line with Work of G.T.P.

The suggestion has been made and wisely by several progressive citizens that trees be planted along the main streets and thoroughfares of the town, and thereby assist the railway company in their endeavour to make Wainwright one of the most beautiful towns along the line. It is furthermore understood that this matter has on previous occasions been considered by the town council, and they have been approached with these desires.

It is stated that any amount of trees could be secured from the Experimental Farm at Indian Head, and that district farmers have placed their orders for delivery. Shrubs, small trees and even vines could in this way be secured and the town beautified materially.

GILT EDGE JOTTINGS

Mr. Joe Denoncourt and Miss Clara were in town on Monday attending the funeral of the late Miss Bernadetta Girard.

Mr. W. S. Goulet has returned to his homestead for the summer.

Cooper's threshing outfit has moved on to Rope Valley where seeding and threshing are going on side by side.

Joe Denoncourt has purchased a fine pure bred Shorthorn bull to replace the one he lost last summer.

Seeding is well advanced here, all the wheat being in.

It is with regret that we have seen one of our most popular young ladies leave here in the person of Miss Jennie Davis. Although she has been here but a short time she has made a host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe of Wainwright are visiting for a few days at the home of their son, William.

The post office has been transferred from the home of Stuart Plaxton to Joe McClellan's.

Gilt Edge, April 27th,

FOR SALE—3 pure bred Holstein bulls. Also 50 bushels Zulu King barley, which averaged over 70 bushel yield. Apply,

R. J. Mills.

Mr. John Bisson who resides at Gilt Edge had the misfortune last week to lose one of his barns and all of his spring and feed grain by fire, which started in his granery. The conflagration started during the day and quickly razed both buildings to the ground. He estimates his loss at several hundred dollars, which includes five hundred bushels of grain.

Thomas Trace, a well known conductor who has been running out of here for the past few years, returned here from a visit to the East on Friday last, and was accompanied by his bride, with whom he was married in Winnipeg. He left on Monday for Edmonton and other points.

MANY HOMESTEADS OPEN FOR ENTRY ALONG THE C.N.R.

It is estimated that there are over 156,876 free homesteads open for entry in the three prairie provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. This means that over 25,000,000 acres are being given away for less than ten cents an acre. The entry fee for one homestead of 160 acres being $10 will mean that when all these homesteads are disposed of the government will have received $1,568,760 for twenty-five million acres of land. Of these homesteads, 118,124 are located adjacent to the Canadian Northern Railway, and 25,000 of them are within twenty miles of existing C.N.R. lines, many of these being within two or three miles of a railway service.

Full detailed information as to where these homesteads are, the nature of the soil and the general description of the country in which they are located, is given in a pamphlet recently issued by the Canadian Northern Railway.

The pamphlet is beautifully printed with three-color half tones, the cover representing a recently arrived immigrant driving away from the village out to his homestead. The town elevators are shown in the distance, silhouetted against the sunsetting in a blaze of red, green, and gold. Mr. Homesteader has all his goods and chattels in the wagon behind him, and is starting his life anew, under the best of auspices.

The pamphlet also contains a map which shows in a general way the location of the homesteads in relation to the railway lines. A list of Government Land Offices for each district, where entry for homesteads may be made, is included, making the pamphlet complete in every way.

Copies may be had from Mr. R. Creighman, General Passenger Agent of the Canadian Northern lines, in Winnipeg.

Various Sets

"You say you can get me in society?"

"Yes, but we must plan a campaign. Now, which crowd do you want to get in with, the bridge set or the gasoline set?"

Would Be Sensible.

"Yonder is an early robin. See his red breast?"

"Yes, and it gave me quite a start at first. For a moment I thought the intelligent bird was wearing a chest protector."

The most obstinate corns and warts fail to resist Holloway's Corn Cure. Try it.

Uncle Pennywise Says:

A spirituelle girl is one who is too dainty to eat corned beef, but who can get away with thirty or forty lettuce sandwiches.—Courier-Journal.

Mr. MacTavish attended a christening where the hospitality of the host knew no bounds. In the midst of the celebration Mr. MacTavish rose up and made the rounds of the company, bidding each a profound farewell.

"But, Sandy, man," objected the host, "ye're not goin' yet, with the ev'n'n' just started?"

"Nay," said the prudent MacTavish; "I'm no go'n' yet, I'm biddin' ye good night while I know ye all."

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

A Synonym

"Can't you think of a more refined term than 'in the wrong' to describe him?"

"Well, I might refer to him as the ultimate consumer.'"

Germany takes the war aeroplane seriously. Armored automobiles for fighting aerial craft are now in use by the German army. They have a turret at one end, from which a quick-firing gun points perpendicularly upward, and a cellular ammunition magazine at the other, with a protected compartment for the chauffeur.

Social statistics of the Lancashire spinning industry show that 13 per cent. of the managing directors of the mills, 42 per cent. of the superintendents and 67 per cent. of the assistant superintendents are of working class origin.

Too many of us men fail fully to appreciate the value of a good home and its keeper. Not enough credit is given for the hours spent over the hot stove, the many back-aching broom strokes and the many stitches taken.

Some wretched man writes: "The average man can make about a hundred different kinds of a fool of himself, but when it comes to sheer imbecility, it wants two or more women and a wedding."

Lawyer—I've just handed that big corporation law case for my son.

Friend—Why, he's only two years old yet?

Lawyer—Certainly, but he'll be ready for it by the time I've finished the preliminary work of getting a jury.—Puck.

Mrs. Struckit Rich—Our waiter is a student. He is working his way through college.

Mr. Struckit Rich—You don't tell me. Well if the colleges would only turn out a few more good waiters I'd have more respect for them seats of learning.—Puck.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
CURE RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE BACKACHE DIABETES
"123 THE PILL"

W. N. U. No. 892.

CONGO GUN RUNNING

Alleged Illegal Traffic by Belgian Authorities.

A correspondence has taken place between the Congo Reform association and the foreign office at London in respect to "the internationally illegal traffic in arms pursued by the Belgian government" in the Congo. Sir E. Grey having pointed out that "steps are being taken by the Belgian government to remedy the evil," Mr. Morel replies that that statement does not appear to be in any sense conclusive. He states that the traffic in ivory and rubber still goes on in which payment is made to the natives in guns and ammunition. He concludes: "The evil in question is a creation of the Belgian government's predecessors. It has been perpetuated ever since annexation by the Belgian administration. The Belgian administration has admittedly obtained large sums by thus carrying on a traffic which is an offence against the law of nations, and which, as Acting-Consul Armstrong remarks, is a positive menace to the tranquility not only of the Belgian Congo, but also of the neighboring colonies."

Self-Possession.

Willon Lackaye, at a recent dinner at the Lambs, was rather bored by a pompous layman who ventured in that company of wits to make a speech that was dull and inexcusable, but perfectly self-possessed, because of the sheer egotism of the speaker.

When he got through, Lackaye said he would like to tell a story of which he had been reminded by the last speaker. Said he:—

"There were two editors of rival papers out in a little town of Illinois, and they spent most of their time writing mean squibs about each other. Unfortunately for one of them, he one day purchased a mule for his farm, just out of town, whereupon the rival newspaper printed the fact of the purchase as a news item and commented on it as 'An Extraordinary Case of Self-possession!'"—New York Herald.

The Very Last Thing.

The heavy, fur-coated man owned the gunpowder factory and the lean, cadaverous person by his side acted as foreman and general factotum.

"Yes, sir," remarked the menial to the master; "poor old Bill is dead, right enough."

"And how did it happen?" asked the employer, sadly.

"Well, sir," came the reply, "you see, sir, old Bill went into mixing-room and by mistake struck a match."

The boss looked surprised.

"Fancy Bill, of all people, doing that," he cried. "I should have thought that would have been the last thing he'd do."

"It was, sir!" replied the lanky one, remorsefully.

Puzzle.

Small girl (entertaining her mother's caller)—How is your little girl?

Caller—I am sorry to say, my dear, that I haven't any little girl.

Small Girl (after a painful pause in conversation)—How is your little boy?

Caller—My dear, I haven't any little boy, either.

Small Girl—What are yours?—Woman's Home Companion.

There is money in dairying in spite of a prevalent notion to the contrary, but it needs a combination of good cows and good management to get it out.

The demand for horses and mules is increasing, and a well-mated pair of horses are as much sought after as a popular debutante. There need be no fear that the horse will ever lose in esteem or demand.

Butter prices have been such all winter as to encourage the maintainance of the white dairy. It is just as much trouble to make poor butter that nobody wants as good butter for which customers come a-running.

On a farm where love reigns, there never will be any trouble over the pocket-book. It will make no difference who carries it.

Make a fair and square bargain this spring with that strapping, willing son of yours. Give him a chance to make good at home before he concludes to try making good somewhere else.

A Winner.

"Was the charity ball a success?"

"Oh, yes indeed. They say the gowns must have cost half a million at least."

"And how much was raised for charity."

"Why, nearly $700. Wasn't that fine."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Is he a man of pronounced views?"

"Yes, but they are pronounced by his wife."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The "stair-lift" in use on the London Electric Railway "delivers" 12,000 passengers a day.

The estimates for British Naval Expenditure for 1912 are over $20,000,000 in excess of those for 1911.

Coal-mines cannot be worked to a greater depth than 4,000ft. because of the high temperature that prevails.

Newfoundland each year exports codfish of a value exceeding $5,000,000.

Very Similar.

Mrs. Ecru—Although I have been to school and college and am supposed to be educated, I always get up those two countries—Rococo and Morocco.—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

In the Air.

Gladys Roxton—And the duke is so brave, papa! Why, he declares he intends to become an aviator.

Papa—Hm! He does, eh? Wants to visit his castle, I suppose.—Puck

"I let my house furnished and they've had measles there. Of course, we've had the place disinfected; so I suppose it's quite safe. What do you think?"

"I fancy it would be all right dear; but I think, perhaps, it would be safer to lend it to a friend first."—Punch.

He (anxiously)—About how long, darling, will it take to complete your trousseau?

She—All the rest of my married life—Life.

A gallon of water weighs 10lb.

She Felt Quite at Home.

A company of Edinburgh students were starting for Glasgow on a football excursion, and meant to have a carriage to themselves. At the last moment, however, just as the train was starting, in hastened an old woman.

One of the young fellows, thinking to get rid of her easily, remarked:

"My good woman, this is a smoking car, which you are not."

"Well, well," answered the woman; "never mind. I'll mak' it dae." And she took a seat.

As the train started, the word was passed round, "Smoke her out." All the windows were closed accordingly, every student produced a pipe, and soon the car was filled with a dense cloud of tobacco smoke. So foul was the air that at last one of the boys began to feel ill. As he took his pipe from his mouth and settled back in his seat, the old woman leaned forward to him.

"If ye are done, sir," she said in a wheedling tone, "was ye kindly gie me a bit draw? I came awa' in sic a haste I forgot mine."—Sheffield Telegraph.

Capable.

A certain editor had cause to admonish his son on account of his reluctance to attend school.

"You must go regularly and learn to be a great scholar," said the fond father, encouragingly, "otherwise you can never be an editor, you know. What would you do, for instance, if your paper came out full of mistakes?"

"Father," he said solemnly, "I'd blame 'em on the printer!"

And then the editor fell upon his son's neck and wept tears of joy. He knew he had a successor for the editorial chair.—Sacred Heart Review.

Shiloh's Cure
stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

A Pen Pun

Assistant Editor: "Here's an article submitted by a convict in the penitentiary who signs merely with his prison number."

Editor: "Doubtless that's his 'pen' name.—Kansas City Star.

Lend a hand—and two if needful.

Russia has an army of 1,200,000 men in time of peace and 4,500,000 in time of war.

The merits of bone as an indicator of fair or foul weather have been touched for by the captain of an Italian steamer carrying a cargo of bones from the South American port of Buenos Ayres to New York. When the ship was sailing toward a storm the skipper stated recently, the bones creaked and moaned, and when fair weather was ahead they were silent again.

The trouble about that fighting-and-running-away thing is, that the next day we're liable to conclude that enough is sufficiency!

Profusely Illustrated.

"The barber told me a very interesting story this morning as he—ed me," said the city editor to the reporter man.

"He did?"

"Yes. He also illustrated it with cuts," added the city editor, fingering a bleeding chin.

In the Hashery.

Waiter—Dessert, sir?

Passenger—Ice cream and clear coffee.

Waiter (shouting through to the kitchen)—Draw one in the tunnel and a dash for the pole!—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Patented.

She was engaging a cook and the cook was Irish.

"Did you stay long in your last place, Mary?" she enquired.

"Yis'm. I never stay anywhere long enough to be discharged, mum. I'm one of these here fireless cookers."

Glink—Do you believe in signs?

Dink—Not as a rule, but I saw one yesterday on Eighth street that appealed to me.

Glink—What was it?

Dink—"Ice Cream Sodas. 5c. Doctor's Advice Free!"—Philadelphia Record.

Every time somebody "Lets us in on the ground floor" of "A good thing," we're glad to get out with a whole pelt through the coal hole!

Glass milk bottles, with sealed discs, are increasingly used in London.

SPRING IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD

A Tonic Medicine Is a Necessity at This Season.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are an all year round tonic, blood-builder and nerve-restorer. But they are especially valuable in the spring when the system is loaded with impurities as a result of the indoor life of the winter months. There is no other season when the blood is so much in need of purifying and enriching, and every dose of these pills helps to make new, rich, red blood. In the spring one feels weak and tired—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills give strength. In the spring the appetite is often poor—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills develop the appetite, tone the stomach and aid weak digestion. It is in the spring that poisons in the blood find an outlet in disfiguring pimples, eruptions and boils—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills speedily clear the skin because they go to the root of the trouble in the blood. In the spring anaemia, rheumatism, indigestion, neuralgia, erysipelas and many other troubles are most persistent because of poor, weak blood, and it is at this time when all nature takes on new life that the blood most seriously needs attention. Some people dose themselves with purgatives at this season, but these only further weaken themselves. A purgative merely gallops through the system, emptying the bowels, but it does not cure anything. On the other hand Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood which reaches every nerve and organ in the body, bringing new strength, new health and vigor to weak, easily tired men, women and children. Try Dr. William's Pink Pills this spring—they will not disappoint you.

Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

At Work

"Did your son learn anything at college?"

"Oh, yes," answered the magnate addressed. "He learned to operate an automobile so well that we have put him in charge of one of our big electric trucks."

Stop the Cough.—Coughing is caused by irritation in the respiratory passages and is the effort to dislodge obstructions that come from inflammation of the mucous membrane. Treatment with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will allay the inflammation and in consequence the cough will cease. Try it, and you will use no other preparation for a cold.

The First Thimble

There is a tradition that a Dutch silversmith pondered long and silently in the slow-working senses which he deemed his brain—a notion for a trinket, a failal, for a dignified lady of Holland. It must be a useful trinket, albeit a costly one, meet for so good a sampstress as Dame Alice Van Rensselaer. When the notion took definite shape, the thing was quickly wrought in precious metal by fingers as deft as the brain was slow, and the industrious housewife proudly wore not only her f—ssible, but the first thimble possessed by any Dutch frau.—Century Magazine.

Any wife will say that what she desires most in the house is a kind, sympathetic husband; other things are good, but none so important.

If you never plan bigger than you do, you never will do as big as you may.

The Eternal Question.

"My wife made me what I am!"

"Have you forgiven her yet?"—Satire.

Poverty

Poverty has been designed by an all-seeing Providence in order to make the rich humble. Without poverty the rich would not know how well off they were, and if they did not know this, they would have no opportunity to sympathize with the poor; thus, no condition of humility would be possible.

Poverty is also useful in many other ways; it enables sociologists to write books, and, by constant practice, gives them remarkable facility; it affords a splendid field for the theologian, and helps him very much in his illustrations.

Poverty helps government; for without government there would be no political parties, and political parties could not exist without poverty, as there would be no votes to buy.

Poverty is necessary to produce sentiment. If there were no poverty sentiment would go begging. It would then have to be expended exclusively on members of the opposite sex, and, as a rule, they don't need it, except when they also need money.

Poverty is considered unnecessary by some, but that is only because they do not understand. Without poverty there would be nothing to live for, nobody to be sorry about, and no one to witness our comfort.—Thomas L. Masson in Lippincott's.

Formerly, the concealment of treasure-troves on the part of the finder was punishable by death, whereas the punishment now is a fine or imprisonment.

What is finer than an old-fashioned spring after an old-fashioned winter?

Practical Hygiene

During a recent epidemic of spinal meningitis in Dallas, Secretary Paul Casey, of the health department, went with a sanitary inspector to raise the quarantine on a negro shack and remove the big green sign.

An old negro came to the door.

"Now, sholy, boss, you'all ain't gwine ter take that sign down?" he asked.

"Yes, we are going to remove the quarantine," said Casey. "Don't you want it removed?"

"No, sah, boss, 'cause dar ain't been nary collectah 'round heah sense dat sign was put up."

The quarantine remained.—Houston Post.

France has an association which gives loans on the word of honor of the people. It is chiefly for men or women who are of humble position, and in most of the cases the money is returned promptly.

The Bloom Was Off.

"Why man, you have no sense of humor. When I first heard that joke I laughed till my sides ached."

"So did I."—Christian Advocate.

Licorice root grows in abundance in the Ural territory of Russia.

Modernized.

Cleveland Plain Dealer:—"That story of the building of the Tower of Babel should be modernized."

"But how would you account for the confusion of tongues?"

"Why, I suppose they had the tower pretty nearly up and then somebody yelled 'Graft!' and everybody accused everybody else and the job was held up."

Not all the queues cut off in China under the reform now progressing there are to find their way into "switches" and "rats" and other things feminine. Consul-General Anderson writes from Hong Kong that, generally contrary to the impression in Europe and the United States, the queues when cut are not sold. This is an absolute rule, so far as south China is concerned, and it is the custom all over those portions of China from which the writer has been able to secure reliable data on this subject. The queues are preserved, according to general statement, for burial with the owner."—New York Tribune.

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Would Linger Longer.

In a storm at sea the chaplain asked one of the crew if he thought there was any danger.

"Oh yes," replied the sailor; "it blows as hard as it does now, we shall all be in heaven before twelve o'clock to-night."

The chaplain, terrified at the expression, cried out, "The Lord forbid."—Life.

Her Fault.

A certain Scotch professor was left a widower in his old age. Now very long after he suddenly announced his intention of marrying again, half apologetically adding, "I never would have thought of it if Lizzie hadn't died."—Harper's Magazine.

A Ready Giver.

"I approach you in a worthy cause, Mr. Titewad. We want to raise $100,000— a prominent philanthropist offers to contribute a quarter of it."

"Oh well," said Mr. Titewad hastily. "I don't mind giving another quarter. Can you change a half?"—Housekeeper.

Cynical.

"I don't believe that story about Nero fiddling while Rome burned."

"Why?"

"Any true musician would have known better than to try to hold an audience while the fire department was turning out."—Washington Star.

She—Would you like to do something for me awfully bad?

He—How bad is it?—Satire.

"Penny wise and pound foolish" is the way it runs—but we think it ought to be turned around.

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A merry, honest heart makes johnny-cake taste like angel's food.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Mixed Metaphors.

"Jorkins certainly did get all mixed up when somebody asked if he hadn't some unpleasant family secrets hidden."

"What did he say?"

"He said he was ready to admit his family had their skeleton in a closet and would make no bones about it, either."—Baltimore American.

The Home Secretary in Great Britain, or the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, has the power to vary or abolish the close time for game.

Willie: "Father, English shillings must be very heavy." "Why, my son." "Because I find in my arithmetic that it takes only twenty of them to make a pound."

"Does your new cook make pies with acumen?"

"I don't know, but I think she uses cooking butter."—Baltimore American.

Heck—Has you wife made her will?

Peck—No; she's merely developed it.—Boston Transcript.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

The Sailors Let the Blustering Winds Escape.

Old Aeolus, The King of The Winds

THE winds were whistling outside, and Evelyn glanced toward the window.

"I wonder where the winds come from?" she said.

"Yes," spoke up Jack; "I've often wondered that myself."

"I'll tell you what the old Greeks said about the winds," said daddy.

"They claimed that the winds had a king named Aeolus, who lived in a place called the Aeolian islands.

"King Aeolus found some of his winds so rough and wild that he thought it best to keep them in dark dungeons in the rocky earth with a mountain on top, so that they might only come out when he wished them to do so.

"The Greeks said that Ulysses, one of their heroes who fought in the war against Troy, stopped to visit King Aeolus on his way home.

"Aeolus and Ulysses became great friends, and when the latter was ready to go on board his ship again Aeolus said that he would make him a useful gift. Then he handed Ulysses a leather bag in which he had tied up all the rough, bad winds that might make storms and drive the ship from its course.

"Ulysses thanked Aeolus and ordered his men to set all the sails in place.

"Unfortunately Ulysses did not tell his men what was in the leather bag which the king had given him, and they were very curious.

"It was indeed a strange bag. If one lifted it it was light as a feather, although puffed out in every direction to an enormous size. When the men touched the bag they would hear strange noises inside.

"Now, although at home the same men had often scolded their wives and daughters for being too curious, they were now most curious to know what was in that queer sack.

"At last one man more inquisitive than his fellows cut the cord that bound the mouth of the bag, and the rough winds rushed out, knocking over every one in their way and stirring up the ocean into a storm.

"The noise of the escaping winds wakened Ulysses. He was very angry when he learned what his companions had done and ordered the sailors to turn back at once to the Aeolian islands that he might ask King Aeolus to help them out of their trouble.

"King Aeolus was displeased that Ulysses had not taken better care of his present, and he told him he might get home as best he could.

"And owing to the tricks of the winds and contrary winds which his foolish companions had let escape from the bag it was many a weary day before Ulysses saw the shores of Greece and got safely home."

Left-Handedness.

The question as to whether left-handedness is inherited is still doubtful, but a man of science has investigated seventy-eight families, dealing with 3,000 individuals, and his evidence goes to show, says Professor J. Arthur Thomson that the trait passes from father to son.

They were twitting a friend who stuttered upon the fact that he had never been married.

"I kn-kn-know, boys, that I've never b-b-been married, but I was pre-pre-pretty near it once."

"How was that?" they inquired.

"Well, you see I asked-ed a girl to hav-hav-have me, and she said that sh'd rather be ex-ex-excused, and I was such a fo-fo-fool I ex-ex-excused her."—Woman's Home Companion.

"Felony" includes murder, homicide, forgery, arson, burglary, and rioting.

"This is where I get off," observed the awkward rider, when his horse proceeded to do some fancy bucking.

The Agitator: "Racing is a curse! A curse that should be stopped! But the question is: How can it be stopped? What is our best course?"

Racing Enthusiast (in crowd) "Doncaster."

"Do you and your wife ever have words?"

"She has. I never do."—Chicago Record-Herald.

In Cornwall, Norfolk, and in some parts of Northern France the local fishermen are in the habit of taking their nets to be blessed by the clergy before setting out on a voyage.

Help From Little Johnnie

"What were you and Mr. Smith talking about in the parlor?" asked her mother.

"Oh, we were discussing our kith and kin," replied the young lady. The mother looked dubiously at her daughter, whereupon her little brother, wishing to help his sister, said:

"Yeth, they wath, mother. I heard 'em. Mr. Tmith asked for a kith and she thaid, you kin."

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"How many magazines does Biffurs take?"

"One."

"Which one?"

"Mine."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

New Boarder—My good lady, the last place I was the landlady wept when I left.

Landlady—Yes, but I won't. I always collect in advance.—Judge.

Soil excavated from a depth of three hundred and twenty-six feet in a Belgian mine is said to have shown a growth of weeds unknown to the botanist.

For The Nervous Woman,

Or the woman who experiences hot flashes nothing is so good to soothe, quiet and calm the nervous system as a pure glycerin extract of native medicinal plants, and made without alcohol, which has been sold by druggists for the past forty years, and most favorably known as Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. In younger years some women suffer from dizziness, or fainting spells, hysteria, headache, bearing-down feelings and pain. All these symptoms of irregularity and female disturbance are relieved by the use of this famous "Prescription" of Doctor Pierce.

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Mrs. McDonald.

"My disease was called retroversion," writes Mrs. Lydia McDonald, of Macosta, Mich., Route 1. "I had nervous chills and numb spells and they would leave me very weak. Then I had inflammation and the doctor said I had a floating kidney. I declined seven months with our family physician. He said I would have to have an operation. Then I stopped taking his medicine. After taking three bottles of Dr. Pierce's medicines I have not had any nervous chills or weak spells. I am better than for years.

"My daughter is now taking the 'Prescription' and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pellets for constipation and liver trouble. These remedies have helped her over so much in a short time. We have great faith in your medicines for female troubles."

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Hon. Archie McLean, provincial secretary, and one of the best known farmers and cattlemen in the west, made the above statement Wednesday afternoon, while in Calgary on his way south to Taber.

Mr. McLean also spoke of the progress that is being made in railroad construction work in the province and in the extension of the telephone system and other public works.

"It will be one of the best years we have experienced," he said, "Judging from the present indications we are in line for a very prosperous year."

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	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.
All of	67	12	4
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N½ Sec's. 31 to 36, inclusive,	49	14	5
All of	57	15	5
All of	51	16	5
N½ Secs. 25 to 30, inclusive.	54	17	5
All secs. 31 to 36,			
inclusive,	54	17	5
All of	50	20	5

A plan of any township above mentioned may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada, for the sum of ten cents.

Dated at Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 26th day of April, 1912.

H. W. Clarke,
Acting Agent Dominion Lands.

TENDERS

Sealed applications marked "tender" for the position of Weed Inspector of the Local improvement District 21-C-1 will be received by the undersigned up to June 1st. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. W. Hansen,
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1900	$6,000,000	$2,650,686	$17,008,301	$29,583,521
1902	6,000,000	2,725,305	20,892,805	34,108,284
1904	6,000,000	3,218,959	25,969,153	39,082,572
1906	6,000,000	3,671,596	35,506,959	19,511,955
Nov. 30 1908	6,000,000	4,460,997	41,327,872	56,588,625
1910	6,000,000	4,999,297	54,779,011	71,600,058
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Synopsis of Canadian North-west Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a 1-4 section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan Alberta. The application must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within 9 miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a 1-4 section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry, including the time required to earn homestead patent and cultivate fifty acres extra.

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MARRIED

At the Methodist parsonage, April 24th., Mr. Bertram Allen and Miss Hilda Erikson, both of Edgerton, were united in marriage by Rev. Thos. Philps.

Notes from the Methodist Church

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church will meet next Wednesday, May 8th.

The Annual Missionary services will be held next Sunday. Special offering will be taken both morning and evening.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered next Sunday morning.

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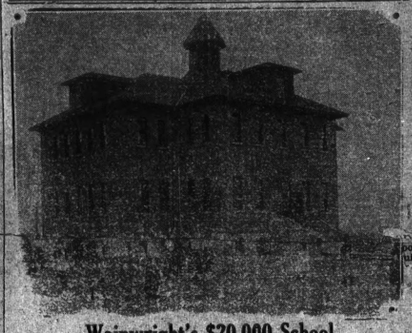

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ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETED AND HOWARD WILL BOX BURNS

According to a letter received a few days ago from Jack Howard, complete arrangements have been made for a match with Tommy Burns, the fight to take place in Edmonton on Thursday, May 23rd. Bob McDonald, Howard's manager, has been successful in his efforts to promote the fight and the final match for Dominion Day, which will take place in the local rink, is now assured, for it was one of the chief conditions on which the Howard-Burns match was arranged.

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BY

JOSEPH HOCKING

Author of "All Men are Liars" "Fields of Fair Renown," Etc., Etc.

(Continued.)

There was no God.

God meant "the good one." "God is eternally good, all powerful, if there is a God. But there is not," I said. Evil was rampant. Every day vice triumphed, every day virtue bowed. Wickedness was not the strongest force. Vice was conquering; evil forces were triumphant. Why should any exception be made for me? If there is a God, evil would be checked, destroyed; instead of which, it was conquering every day. There could be no God, good and evil were little more than names. We were the sport of chance, and chance meant the destruction of anything like moral responsibility. I could not help being constituted as I was, neither could Voltaire help his nature. One set of circumstances had surrounded the life, another mine, and our image and shape were according to the force of these circumstances. As for a God Who loved me, it was absurd.

And yet who gave us love—made us capable of loving? Was love the result of chance, which was in reality nothing? And a sense of shame in the face of God, whence the longing for Him? Besides, did not the longing for Him give evidence of His being?

But I will not weary the reader with my mental wanderings; they are doubtless wearisome enough, and yet they were terribly real to me. Although I have used but a few pages of paper in hinting at them, they caused me to lie awake through many a weary night.

Still no help came.

I went to church one Sunday night. There was nothing of importance that struck me during the service, save the reading of one of the lessons. It was the story of the youth who was possessed with a devil, which the disciples could not cast out. The minister was, I should think, a good man, for he read it naturally, and with a great deal of power; and when he came to the part where Jesus came and caused the evil spirit to come out of him, my heart throbbed with joy. Was there hope for me? Was Jesus Christ still the same wonderful power? Was He here now—to help, to save?

That was at the end of the three months.

I went home and prayed—prayed to be delivered from the evil power which shadowed me.

I might as well have turned my thoughts in another direction for all the good I could see it did me. The old numbing feeling still possessed me. My little spark of faith began to die. It was foolishness to think of God, I said.

A week later, I walked in Hyde Park. An evil influence seemed to draw me in the direction of the Marble Arch. I had not gone far when I met Voltaire. I knew then that I was more in his power than ever. He did not speak—he only looked; but it was a look of victory, of power.

I got into Oxford-street and got on a 'bus. Mechanically I bought a paper, one of the leading dailies. Listlessly I opened it, and the first words that caught my eyes were "Reviews of Books." I glanced down the column, and saw the words, "David Elginbrod," by George Macdonald. "This book is one of remarkable power," the paper went on to say, "and will appeal to the highest class of minds. Its interest is more than ordinary, because it deals with the fascinating subjects of Animal Magnetism, Mesmerism, and Spiritualism. Moreover, Dr. Macdonald shows what enormous power, for evil or for good, can be exerted by it; indeed, the principal characters in the story are so influenced by it, that the author is led to make quite a study of these occult sciences."

I did not read the review further; what I had read was sufficient to determine me to buy the book. Accordingly, on my arrival in the City, I ordered a copy; and then, with all possible haste, I made my way home, and, throwing myself in a chair, sat down to read it.

I did not cease reading until I had finished what I regarded then, and still regard, as one of the finest religious novels of the age. This may seem to many extravagant praise; but when I remember the influence it had on my life, I feel inclined to hold to my opinion.

Putting aside the other parts of the book, that in which I was so fearfully interested might be briefly stated thus:—

Mesmerism and animal magnetism may be regarded as human forces. Those possessing them, and thereby having the power to mesmerise, may subjugate the will of those who are susceptible to mesmeric influences, and hold them in a complete and terrible slavery. The offener the victim yields to the will of the mesmerist, the stronger will his power become. There is only one means by which such perception under this influence can be free. This is by obtaining a strength superior to that of the mesmerist, which is only to be realised by being in communion with a Higher Life, and participating in that Life. Only the Divine power in the life of the victim can make him possess a power superior to the mesmerist's. Possessing that, he becomes free, because he possesses a life superior to the physical or human power.

The victim in the book is led to seek that Divine Life in her, and although she loses her physical life, she has died to it, and is absent from the dom which has been cursing her existence.

What is all I need write concerning the book I have mentioned, i.e., descriptive of its teaching.

It turned my mind into a new channel. The preaching seemed intelligent and reasonable. If there were a God, who was the Source of all life, He could, by entering into the life of any individual, give him such forces as would be superior to any other force. This was true, further, because all evil was in opposition to the laws of the universe, and thus the good must overcome the evil.

This, however, I clearly saw; if I would possess the power of God in me, I must submit myself wholly and unreservedly to Him. He had made me a free agent, and I must allow Him to possess me wholly.

I will not describe what followed. It is too sacred a subject to parade. We cannot write on paper our deepest feelings; we cannot describe in words the yearnings and experiences of the soul. Were I to try I could give no adequate idea of my hopes and fears, my prayers and struggles. To realise my life, a similar condition must be experienced.

I ask, however, that I may be believed when I say this: a month later I really believed in God, and soon I began to realise His power. I felt a new life covering me, a higher life. I began to be possessed of a power whereby I could conquer myself, subjugate my own will, and be master over my passions. The reader may smile as he or she reads this but this is true; when I became possessed of Christ's power I became master of my lower self. I felt free from Voltaire's power. I realised that to be master over myself meant being a slave to none.

I was free, and I knew it. A fuller, richer life surged within me, enabling me to rise above the occult forces of our physical and mental natures. Hope lived within me, and confidence as to the future began to inspire me.

CHAPTER XV.

Beginning to Search.

No sooner did I begin to feel freed from Voltaire's power than I began to exert myself to find Kaffar, if indeed he were to be found. There was much in my favour. I possessed freedom; I had plenty of money; I had plenty of time. On the other hand, there was much against me. Was he alive? Were Voltaire's words true? Had I in my mesmeric condition yielded to his will in such a degree as to kill the wily Egyptian and hurl him in the pond? Again, if he were alive, where was he? Who could tell? Supposing he had gone to Egypt, how could I find him? Possibly he had a thousand haunts unknown to me.

I determined to go to Yorkshire, and soon found myself within the hospitable walls of Temple Hall. The house was very quiet, however, for which I was very glad. I wanted to talk quietly with Tom; I wanted to investigate the whole matter.

When I had finished telling Tom my story, he seemed perfectly astounded.

"What, Justin!" he exclaimed, "do you mean to say that the villain used such means to get you out of his road and win Miss Forrest for himself!"

"I felt he was unscrupulous when I first met him," I replied. "I am sure he guessed my secret, and determined to get me out of the way by fair means or by foul."

We talked long concerning the matter; we tried to recall all that had been said and done; but, in spite of all, we could not hit upon any plan of action.

"Do you think she will marry Voltaire?" I said, after a short silence.

"If I cannot find Kaffar or prove that he is alive?"

"I am sure she will, Justin. Never did I meet with any one who has a higher sense of honour than she. I believe she would rather die than do a mean thing."

"And yet," I said wearily, "I am almost certain I did not kill Kaffar. I can remember nothing distinctly, and yet I have the consciousness that I never struck him a blow."

"And I, too, am sure you did not do this, Justin," replied Tom. "I tell you that he was acting, in spite of the terrible evidence against you. But what is the use? If you cannot find the Egyptian, he will marry Miss Forrest, and after that—well, all seems hopeless."

"It shall not be hopeless," I said. "If he is alive, he shall be found, and I will bring him back, and she shall see him."

"Ah, yes; and that reminds me, Justin, she bade me tell you that she would be in her own home at Kensington until after the next new year."

This made me joyful in spite of everything. She still had an interest in me; she still believed me innocent.

"By the way, Tom," I said, after another short silence, "have you found out anything in relation to the ghost which appeared here during my visit?"

"Nothing definite. Stay, I forget. Simon Blowden said he had something particular to tell you when you came to Yorkshire again. I asked him the subject of this something particular, and he said it was about the ghost. I tried to make him explain further, but could not.

"I'll see Simon at once," I said. "I cannot attend to let anything pass without getting at it. Any little thing might give a clue to the mystery."

I sought Simon in the stable-yard, and found him as grim and platonic as ever.

"Glad to see yer honour," said Simon, hastily. "I've made up my mind once or three times to write a letter, but I saw had sich bad luck wi' letters that I adn't the necessary quantity o' black, you know."

"And bad luck with your letters, Simon? How?"

(To be Continued.)

Education in Crime.

Medical men and others interested in the psychology of crime understand that crimes are often imitated. One sensational murder is followed by another, and then by a third. A society woman elopes with the coachman and another soon follows. One suicide jumps into the arena, and another will imitate his example. One young lady disappears, another is liable to follow. Thieving and holding up persons on commons is also contagious. Human beings are followers of fashion in habits and crime as they are in the clothes they wear. From this point of view the newspaper publication of all kinds of misconduct is open to censure. The claim put forward by the public that it demands sensational news and it is their duty to furnish it is not based upon sound reasoning. The publication of the details of crime or indecency whets the appetite of the imitator, and may be fairly considered an inciting cause of crime and indecency.—Medical Record.

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simple, cheap and effective medicine for something to be desired. There is no medicine so effective a regulator of the digestive system as Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They are simple, they are cheap, they can be got anywhere, and their beneficial action will prove their recommendation. They are the medicine of the poor man and those who wish to escape doctors' bills will do well in giving them a trial.

In the Argentine Republic a law has been recently passed making it compulsory for all citizens to vote.

The railway strike last August caused the Great Western Railway Company a net loss of nearly $500,000.

It is better to miss fire than to hit the wrong mark.

We've seen a lot of promising kids simmer down to mere crustaceans because they adopted the fool maxim that "the easiest way out is the best!"—

Professor Campbell Swinton, an English scientist, has proposed a new plan for "television," or seeing objects at a distance over a wire, on the principle that we speak over a telephone wire. The process is complicated, but it depends on using cathode rays from a vacuum tube and causing them play over a sensitive screen in such a way as to paint a picture, in light, at the distant station, of any person or object at the receiving station. We have little doubt that within a few years it will be an every-day thing to see the face of the person you are talking with on the 'phone, as well as hear his voice, even though he may be hundreds of miles away.

"MOVIES" AT OTTAWA.

Cinematograph Man Take Everything in Sight on the Hill.

Future generations will witness the Borden Cabinet at work in the Privy Council chamber. It will be a real cinematograph picture showing the leaders of the nation taking sweet counsel together.

The other morning for half an hour the cinematograph men were busy in the Privy Council chamber before a full Cabinet with their machines, and they came away pleased at the good impression, which will be shown to seventy millions of people daily throughout the world when they are ready.

The pictures are part of a scheme by the Vitograph Co. to write a cinematograph picture history of Canada from the days of Jacques Cartier up to the present Premier.

And rightly will figure in the picture. The picture men by royal permission attended a skating party at Government House and caught the duke moving about, the duchess receiving her guests and pretty Princess "Pat" gracefully figuring on the ice with a crowd of Ottawa's best and brightest.

The Premier in his sumptuous private office was caught in the act of writing letters, while dictating to his private secretary, all for future Canadians to gloat over in wondering interest.

Speaker Landry in the Senate posed clad in his crimson robe, while Speaker Sproule, preceded by the sergeant-at-arms, represented the walk from his private apartments to the green chamber. And the ex-Premier was not forgotten. He smiled o'er again his famous smile and walked down Parliament hill, all for the benefit of future statesmen, who will want to know how it was done in the year of grace 1910. The press gallery "boys" are also included and room eight, with its dozens of typewriters, roll-topped desks, voluminous blue books and diligent inhabitants performed specially under the inquisitive eye of the clicking machine.

When the history is complete, a special set will be sent to His Majesty King George, who will have Canada as she is placed before him.

Weak on Holy Writ.

The truth is out. The weakness of the large majority of the members of the Parliamentary Press Gallery is not to be the Holy Writ. They reminds one of Chaucer's Doctour of Phisyk, whose "studie was but litel on the Bible." In the course of his eloquent speech at the Liberal banquet to the victors of South Renfrew the other evening, Dr. Michael Clark paraphrased a quotation from the Song of Deborah in the Book of Judges. "Ah, sir, the stars in their courses are fighting against Sisera." Every Liberal newspaper man present who used the quotation in his report endeavored to make it a classic, representing the westerner as having chronicled a conflict between the firmament and Cicero. It is reported to have been Sir Wilfrim Laurier, himself an adept at scriptural quotations, who first spotted the blunder of the newspaper men. Thereupon there were manifold trips to the Parliamentary Library to search the dust-covered copy of the Scriptures which there abides. A poll of the press men was taken on the question with disastrous results to all but the Anglicans. Not a Presbyterian nor a Roman Catholic in the Gallery knew whence the quotation was taken, and only one Methodist qualified. Seven of the Anglicans, however, at once recognized and located it, these correspondents, with the one Methodist, being the only members of the Parliamentary Press Gallery who apparently had any acquaintance with the Book of Judges. Only one Anglican went wrong, and he confessed, amid laughter, that he was brought up a Presbyterian.

Knew His Man.

The members of the staff of The Montreal Star have been selling tickets for a concert by means of which that paper aided a charitable cause.

One of them sold a ticket to one of the men who are partners in business. Then the newspaperman made a bet with another member of the staff that he couldn't sell a ticket to the other partner, who was known to be close in money matters.

The man who took the bet soon reported that he had sold two tickets to the close one and had collected two dollars.

But the man who had taken the other end of the bet was still doubtful. He hunted up the alleged buyer, who told him that he had bought the tickets and, after tearing them up, had thrown them into the waste-paper basket. The doubter searched the waste-paper basket and found what looked like bits of the tickets. Somewhat sadly he went back to The Star office and asked the "boys" out for the promised refreshments.

Soon afterward the man who had taken the two tickets met the seller and asked why he didn't cater was so anxious to find out about the tickets.

"He nearly had me," said the close one. "Just after you sold me the two tickets, a friend came in and I re-sold them to him. It was fortunate for me that there were some bits of cardboard in that waste-paper basket."

A Long Train.

The tonnage of wheat drawn by the Canadian Northern Railway in 1910 was increased in the past year by 14,000,000 bushels. During the corresponding period of 1910 only 24,000,000 bushels were brought out of the country. There is an interesting side to this statement; it is hardly possible to get more than 1,000 bushels of wheat into the average freight car, for this is allowing an average capacity of 60,000 pounds. It will be seen, therefore, that if 38,750,000 bushels were handled—the precise quantity—nearly 40,000 cars were utilized. Taking the average length of a car as 40 feet, which would allow for the coupling at each end, this total would mean a continuous chain of wheat cars holding 30 tons each a little more than 300 miles long.

One of Pittsburg's leading manufacturers does not think so highly of the value of a college career. He was taking a fellow magnate to task the other day.

"Well, I hear your son is through college."

"Yes, he's through."

"Put in four years, I s'pose?"

"Four years."

"An' did he learn anything what'ever that was useful during those four years?"

"Oh, yes. He learned to operate an automobile so well that we have put him in charge of one of our big electric trucks."—Pittsburg Post.

High Speed.

The Baroness Rose Posse declared at a luncheon in Cambridge that cocoa caused indigestion. "And they say that sweets are good for the health," declared the baroness, smiling, "are as far from the truth as the railroad man. A railroad man, you know, was boasting about the speed of the trains on his line. 'We go fast,' he said, 'that bells and whistles are no use—the train keeps ahead of the sound. Once, four miles away on a straight stretch, an engineer of ours saw a wagon. He whistled and rang, he cursed and swore and yelled, but it was useless. The next instant we were on the wagon—crash, bang—derailment, and the engine overturned. The engineer poor fellow, was killed. But the ghastly thing about the accident was this: As the engineer lay dead on the roadside his voice caught him up. Yes, sir; there he lay dead, and all around him sounded in shorus his own oath; and yells that he had used just a minute before to clear the track.'"

The Real Eugene Aram.

A sale of relics of Eugene Aram reminds us that Lord Lytton's Aram was a very different personage from him who was hanged at York, who, judging from the published account of the trial, was merely a felon of the baser sort. He associated with low companions, married a low wife and practised swindling with a miserable creature whom in his younger days he was associated with in stealing flower roots—for they were both gardeners—and finally murdered him to secure a few pounds, the proceeds of a swindle.

Aram possessed a vigorous intellect, had mastered the learned languages, had read every classic that came in his way, and, says a distinguished writer, when the learned felon came to make his defence all Britain was astonished by a piece of pleading which, if given to the public among the defences and under the name of Thomas Lord Erskine, so celebrated for this species of composition, would certainly not be deemed unworthy of the collection of its author.—London Globe.

"Is your new nurse Irish, French or German, Freddie?"

"Well, I fink she's bwoken English."—Satire.

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"You've decided not to buy," demanded the agent, incredulously. "But, my dear sir, I respectively submit that there is little room for you to find that out. Why, you've had the free use of this car for a week. May I ask what's wrong with it?"

"Certainly," said Cheekley. "Its a mighty serious trouble. The red leather seats in the tonneau don't match my wife's hair by three shades."—Harper's Weekly.

Mr. Bacon—Something wrong with this hash this morning, dear.

Mrs. Bacon—Why?

Mr. Bacon—I don't know. It needs something.

Mrs. Bacon—I can't think what it can be. I put in everything I could find!—Yonkers Statesman.

Rustic, seeing an aeroplane for the his first time—"Lawks, if that ain't the queerest-looking balloon I ever seen!" Rustic's friend (scornfully) —"Balloon, that ain't no balloon! That's parcels goin' by this noo wireless telegraphy!"

It is better to have loved a short man than never to have loved a tall.

It is illegal to set traps with strong-smelling baits on land, or to poison wild birds and beasts.

Temperature of 62 degree below zero, which is a record, has been experienced in a Polar expedition.

Wireless And Longitude.

Several determinations of longitude have of late been made by means of wireless messages, but the most ambitious attempt of this nature has just taken place between Paris and Tunis, wireless signals connecting two clocks the comparison of which decided the lor gitude. The signals travelled the whole distance in time which works out at nearly 200,000 miles a second.

There are bright days, light days, intermediate days, and darkly, deeply, despairfely blue days; but all are needed for gradation of color in our life pictures.

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Jaggers: "I saw a big break early this morning." "What was it, a bank?" "No; it was the break of day."

Mrs. Jinks—I never knew such a man as you are for making extravagant statements.

Mr. Jinks—Well, my dear, I suppose it's force of habit. I'm a bill clerk for the gas company, you know!

Female Lawyer—We want a writ of womaneonfoundus.

Opposing counsel (from the east)—What in the world is that?

His native colleague—It's what we used to call mandamus.—Puck.

"My dear Mrs. Come-up, did your lunch here suit you? Have you had quantum suffcit?"

"Oh, you couldn't get anything like that in this town. It's local option."—Baltimore American.

Great Britain in one year spends nearly $150,000,000 on tobacco.

Insult to Injury.

James Payn tells of a whist player being told by an opponent that he would scarcely tell by his face when he had a good hand. This he resented exceedingly, and applied to his partner for a retutation of it; but he was only still more irritated by his form of corroboration. "that he had never noticed any expression in his countenance, whatever."—Kansas City Star.

Over fifty tons of railway tickets are issued in a year by one English railway company.

Letters which are warmly sealed are often but coldly opened.

Germany possesses 36,297 miles of railway.

Knowledge of one's self is the centre of all wisdom.

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"We had a fine sunrise this morning," said one New Yorker to another. "Did you see it?" "Sunrise!" said the second man. "I'm always in bed before sunr——"—New York Ledger.

Bronson—What's the best way to make love to a girl?

Dawson—The worst way possible. Then she'll think you mean it.—Puck.

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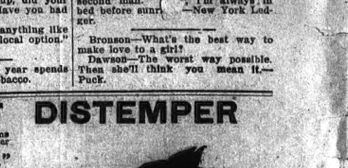

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WAINWRIGHT, ALTA., WEDNESDAY, MAY 1st. 1912

With the resignation of John Wolf, Alberta conservatives are buoyed up with the belief that a general election will shortly be announced in the province by Premier Sifton, who until this time has for reasons best known to himself assumed a sphinx-like silence. The next few weeks should divulge either yea or nay.

Since our last issue, one of Wainwright's most charming and brightest young ladies has gone to the Great Beyond, and was yet in her 'teens. This only goes to prove, however, how uncertain is this earthly career and that death must come when it will come, to us all.

Optimists predict that Wainwright will be a city of 10,000 in at least five years. The man who makes a prediction of this kind does not overstep the mark by any means, and shows that he has some confidence. It would be a hang site better if everyone thought the same and showed it occasionally.

To the south of us we have the buffalo park, which is ???. To the east, the finest mixed farming land that ever laid outdoors; to the north a vast area of unsurpassed grain fields, and to the west a stock-raising territory. What better land could a prospect settler pick out? and weather,—simply swell.

Don't you think that this senatorial investigation by Senator Smith at the Waldorf Astoria in New York is beginning to show itself into somewhat of a farce? Bruce Ismay is certainly placed in an unfavourable light, but the White Star Line is English in origin, and is composed of English shareholders. Why not let the English Government get after him?

There's at least one man who is doing his duty to Alberta and that is Mr. R. J. Daley, publicity commissioner for this province with offices in Winnipeg. The number of settlers he has steered to Alberta this year is but typical of this man, who has more than made good at his work. Thousands of farmers have been headed in this direction and he will continue in good work during the year.

A man on board the Titanic addressed Ismay in a very common seafaring manner, and told him to go to the regions of frostless nights and warmer days. We'll stake dollars to doughnuts that that man doesn't get taken back into the employ of the White Star Company. His epithet was well chosen on that occasion.

From all that Champ Clark has done for western Canada in the way of dissuading emigration from the States, it is clearly evident that every knock has been a boost, for settlers have not ceased coming by any means. All the harm that Clark can do isn't much and up to the present Canada must congratulate him.

Daily transactions here and in the town's vicinity go to show that this will be Wainwright's banner year, yet strange to say many have not yet awakened to the fact. An inrush of hundreds of newcomers and other gratifying features should create some enthusiasm.

Few Easterners who came west look upon their determination to remain here in the light of "it's a long way back", but rather in the manner of "I never will leave here". They are gripped by the fascination which comes to every newcomer and for that reason remain,—contented, satisfied and without pursuasion.

Wheat has already made its appearance through the soil and the farmers are rejoicing with exceeding gladness as they gaze on the sturdy little sprouts which mean so much to themselves and the country at large. Seeding operations are now being confined to oats, barley and flax.

A few of the disgruntled ones tell us that we don't get all the news and consequently do not print it in our columns. Perhaps this is true and oftentimes the truth of such charges is brought home to us, but if anyone else can do better or could suggest how it's done, for the love of Mike tell us how.

Newspaper reports say that the railways are constructing five new lines in this vicinity this year. We wonder where they get their information, for up to the present, the people of this vicinity have been unable to obtain anything definite in this respect. May these hopes and fancies prove true.

Forty-seven towns along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific are to be sold this year, according to a late Winnipeg report. It is to be hoped that the disposal of these will not constitute such dimensions as did the sale at Mirror last July. Not because we wish the G. T. P. any ill luck but a man's purse should be keenly guarded.

The claim for damages to the extent of $714 by M. Kilfoyle, who states that he contracted typhoid fever here, is a matter of no small concern, and must be viewed accordingly. It is very unlikely that the town will pay this amount before a judicial court decides that it is compulsory, for by so doing a precedent would be established that would remain for time eternal. It would not only hold for typhoid, but could be claimed on similar grounds by almost anyone who contracts illness here, whether it be their own fault or from that of others, apart from civic officials.

Captain Smith of the ill-fated Titanic comes in for much criticism at the hands of Major Peuchen. It would seem that Major Peuchen would be better thought of were he to have more respect for the brave dead, with his confession that he was very fortunate in having an opportunity for escape. Captain Smith was known as the "grand old man of the sea" and there must have been a reason.

It is easy enough for certain busy bodies to sit back and criticize their home paper for not publishing this and for printing that, no regard whatever being paid to diplomacy which must needs govern the publication of any article. If someone would suggest a method to satisfy everyone, we'd like to hear it but ten chances to one it wouldn't be accepted, for it would be entirely wrong.

We wonder why it is that so many Canadians are under the impression that Wainwright is in Saskatchewan. It would be a safe gamble that at least two parts of the letters, addressed to local parties, have "Saskatchewan" written on them, instead of Alberta. Even press reports in foreign papers start off with, "Wainwright, Sask." It should be distinctly understood that Wainwright is in Sunny Alberta.

Few of the many districts in the West can lay claim to the boast that their wheat crop is now in. Various communities show a late season, while wheat seeding operations have been suspended in this district. Favourable weather conditions should bring about an early crop in the Wainwright district.

This is May 1st., and is also cleanup day in Wainwright. Of course at this particular time we don't know just how well the job is being done, but it is our sincere hope and possibly yours as well that the town limits take on an appearance which will reflect credit on the ratepayers.

What Others Say

The Lethbridge News hits the nail squarely on the head with the following editorial, and takes a judicial and fair view of the condemnation with which both Captain Smith and other officers of the ill-fated Titanic have met since the investigation of the awful catastrophe began.

The News has an impression, which it believes is shared by the general public, that there are some men who are talking too much and too freely about the Titanic disaster. The full measure of horror which this tragedy has brought to the world has not yet been realized, nor is it likely to be for sometime to come. The whole world stands dazed and stunned in the face of the great calamity, and not until men begin to think calmly and with unprejudiced minds will it be possible for us to size the whole affair and give an unbiased judgment. Meanwhile a suspension of judgement is wise.

Somehow or other the world is not kindly disposed to certain of the male survivors of this world's greatest calamity upon the waters. Everyone knew it was necessary that members of the vessel's crew should man the lifeboats carrying the women and children; but everyone believed, nor has there yet been any reason to doubt, that there were enough men in the crew available to do this work. It seems, however, according to the tales they tell, that certain male passengers were pressed into service, and from them we have been hearing stories of the disaster.

Some of these stories reflect severely upon the commander of the ill-fated vessel, and others upon the management of the company. The commander is now before a Judge who makes no mistakes, and, unfortunately for his good name, cannot speak for himself before any earthly tribunal. Some measure of blame may have been attached to him, and again he may have been entirely innocent. But it seems to the News that the last persons who have any right to speak the unkind word of the man who stood by and went to his death with the ship, are the men who from among the passengers of the Titanic found their way to safety in boats loaded with woman and children. There may have been the best of reasons for their presence in the boats, but the world will always have its suspicion. These men would be well advised if they kept discreet silence, or, if forced to speak, confined themselves to a recital of facts rather than the advancing of theories in which brave men who are dead are made scapegoats.

Calgary Albertan—Ismay says he left the sinking ship by the last boat, and perhaps he did, but most people will believe that he left on the first boat after the danger of the Titanic was well known.

Calgary Albertan—Father Neptune is still a power on the deep, and the ship builders who boastingly announced that they had him beaten did not know very well what they were talking about.

Alberta Homestead—The farmer who makes a mistake and gets the blues, as the best of them do now and then, should remember that it is the mistakes that give him the experience he will not forget. The successful farmers are the ones who do not repeat their mistakes but use them as guides in the future.

Ottawa Free Press—England once got rid of that great disturber, Napoleon, by sending him to Helena. Why cannot these suffragettes be herded together and sent to some similar place, only farther away if possible?

Prince Rupert Empire—In California the woman suffrage movement was successful. Strange to say, however, there has developed considerable objection to it among the women themselves; and those objecting propose to have the question re-submitted to the people.

Will it ever be possible wholly to satisfy the dear creatures of the gentler sex?

Vancouver Daily Province—It is proposed to submit a referendum to the electors of Ontario to ascertain whether they are in favor of abolishing the bar or the treating system. Waterloo county may be expected to record a solid vote for the "Dutch treat."

Calgary Herald.—The Ontario legislature will soon consider the possibility of abolishing the treating system. If it was at all possible to so interfere with individual liberty the idea would be ludicrous, but when there is the slightest chance of enforcing such restrictions the suggestion is quite fareid. The spectacle of a man incarcerated in jail for thirty days for treating a friend to a cigar would be a moving one, not without some elements of comedy.

The Duke of Connaught, Canada's governor general, will visit Alberta this year, starting an itinerary which was never ventured by any previous governor. Calgary will be visited on September 5th. Wonder if he will emulate the example of both Laurier and Borden and consider the G. T. P. in the background of western vision.

Hamilton Spectator.—The loss of a man worth millions is of comparatively small account if he did not prove his business ability by making those millions. In the scale of usefulness to humanity, Charles M. Hays, ranked above John Jacob Astor. Astor's millions remain with his relatives. The genius of Hays is extinguished with him.

By many the construction of the Battleford branch into Wainwright is looked upon as a joke, which of course isn't a good thing for the town. The G. T. P. must surely have some object in view in concealing the real facts of the case, yet this does not alter the situation by any means.

The action which prompts the C. P. R. to the loaning of money to settlers, who locate on farms owned by that company, is evidently founded on good grounds, yet it means much to the railway to dispose of their enormous sections of land, and observations of the past go to show that the C. P. R. will be well protected in such loans.

Moose Jaw Times—That the world today is but one big family of nations is strikingly illustrated by the effect the British coal strike has upon the industries all over Europe, and upon the world's finances.

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"Three doctors were present at this operation, but after it had been performed the wound did not heal, so we would we could not get anything to close the wound.

"We at last tried Zam-Buk, and it was really wonderful how much quicker this balm healed the wound. Each day there was a marked improvement. First the wound in the palm of the hand closed, and then the finger which had been lost so long began to heal. The diseased flesh seemed to rise out of the wound, to be cast off, and new healthy flesh formed from below, pushing off the diseased tissue. In a short time the wound was completely healed. Had we applied Zam-Buk at first we might have saved the finger.

"We had another proof of Zam-Buk's power in the case of my son. When two years old he had his hand badly mangled. One finger had to be amputated and it left a wrong sore for some months. This wound, also, was finally healed by Zam-Buk."

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That Elusive Line.

Mrs. Crabshaw—"You never put your arm around my waist as you used to."

Crabshaw—"You see, my dear, you keep moving your waist up and down so I don't know where to find it."—Judge.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

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Mr. Datus—I'll not be home tonight, Mrs. Datus—You won't eh? Why? Mr. Datus—An artist friend wants me to pose as a model for a henpecked husband picture.

All mothers can put away anxiety regarding their suffering children when they have Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to give relief. Its effects are sure and lasting.

Spendthrift.

Uncle Esau—Do you think the money young Bob Hoskins made down in New York will last him long?

Uncle Eben—A bet it won't. He's going on a swell pace. I was down in the general store last night and young Bob was writing $100 checks and fast, fuck.

The King Owns Sandringham.

The statement is again being published that Sandringham is the absolute property of Queen Alexandra. As a matter of fact, at the will of the late King Edward the whole estate was left solely to King George, his late Majesty merely stipulating that the Queen-Mother should have the entire use of it during her lifetime, and adding a wish that in the future the place might become the dower house of the Queen Consort. King George is, however, in no way bound by this, and is at liberty when the proper time arrives to dispose of it in any manner that seems best to him. In the meantime he has entire charge of the estate, pays all the outgoings and receives the income.—The Gentlewoman.

The Plowman.

Starting the plow in the side-hill stubble,
Or down in the meadow's sod,
Where the swollen waters of the brooklet
And the willows wave and nod;
Turning so smoothly the clean-cut furrows,
Patiently, one by one.
The plowman follows his sturdy team,
Till his daily task is done.

Australia is at present suffering from a dearth of mechanics.

Terrible Itching Got Little Sleep

Mr. T. Williams, Winnipeg.

Until Cuticura Remedies Cured Him

These who have suffered long and hopelessly from torturing skin eruptions will read with interest this letter from Mr. T. Williams, 115 Pacific Ave., Winnipeg (dated Jan. 14, 1911): "The Cuticura Remedies certainly did work finely and I am thankful that there is such a remedy, and that I tried it. About three months ago a terrible itching commenced on my body. I could not understand it. It gradually grew worse and covered a large portion of my body. There was also a slight eruption of the skin, sort of a rash. I suffered greatly with the itching and at night-time I had little sleep. I tried one or two remedies which did no good, and then I tried Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent. In about ten days I was completely cured.

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FARMING AND GRIT

Going Back to the Soil Isn't All Roses And Hammocks.

Making a living on a farm does not consist solely in sending in cars rolling in blossoming clover, and picking pears. There is a crop of blisters, backaches, muddy pants, mosquito bugs and droughts. One never makes a change in life without giving up some things he likes and taking some he does not like. He must strike a balance, go where he finds the greater good, and bear with grit and patience the unpleasant part.

The city man who has not pluck should stay in the shop or at his desk for on the farm he will find a life environment that will cope with him with appalling regularity on every soft spot he owns. He will miss the excellent care, electric lights, vaudeville, people. His meals, seasickness, physical tiredness, inconvenience, stillness. Getting back to the land is commendable, pecuniarily and spiritually, only to those who are more for independence than for steam heat and gratuitous walks or drinks more of health than of musical comedy, and would rather accumulate a competence for their old age than have the privilege of living with street cars and gods.

The successful farmer must be willing to work until his muscles get sore, and then work until they get stronger, to learn of simple folk, and be neighborly with people who have lived in a different way; to wait for seed-time and harvest. Also he must be able to forget the amusements he has left behind and the annoyances he has found, until the slow current of country life gets hold of him, and the sweet spirit of the open places envelopes him. Then will he have found a home, and the land will have found one more man to feed the nations.—Exchange.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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The Dutch at Church.

Men still wear their hats in church in many parts of Holland. Moreover, smoking in church is not considered irreverent by the Dutch if the service is not in progress, and the ministers themselves indulge in this practice.

Altogether, according to a recent visitor, "Dutch Protestantism is a very comfortable form of religion. You keep your hat on in church and that saves you many a chill; you talk freely and in your natural voice, not in a whisper; you have a neat housemaid in a white cap and apron (and nothing is more comfortable and reviving than a Dutch servant maid) to show you to your seat or to offer you a chair; you have nice drab pews of painted deal all around you and a cheerful two-decker pulpit above."—London Chronicle.

Why Buy Mixtures?

Why buy mixtures known as alum baking powder when you can just as

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

The diamond fields of Kimberly (the best part) are limited to an area of about nine acres.

Here is the unvarnished truth from the Prairie Farmer: "Many a farmer's success is due to his energetic wife." And yet how many farmers are disposed to make the proper acknowledgement when at the vendue they boast of "what I did" last season!

A human being exhales some 746 cubic feet of carbon dioxide in twenty-four hours or about one-seventy-fifth of his own weight.

"I want you to understand that I got my money by hard work."

"Why, I thought it was left you by your uncle."

"So it was; but I had hard work getting it away from the lawyers."—Boston Transcript.

China's Stone Libraries.

There is a public library of stone in Peking. It is a library of the Kuo Tse Chien, or "School of the Sons of the Empire," an ancient university that existed a thousand years before the Christian era. This library is of stone. On 182 tablets of stone composed of are carved all of the "Thirteen Classics," the summary and essence of all Chinese culture.

In the imperial lecture hall of this Kuo Tse Chien the Emperor would go once a year to hear a discourse on the responsibilities and duties of his office and would receive reproof and exhortation from the heads of the institution.

The stone library in Peking is only a copy of that in Shi An Fu, in Shensi, which was the capital of the empire.

A lie has no legs and cannot stand; but it has wings and can fly far and wide.

Two of a Kind

The late Sydney Mudd, of Maryland, was once going from Washington to his home, when a man who had taken too much to drink, sat down beside him. The passenger looked at Mudd for a moment. Then he lurched over and asked: "Shay, whash your name?"

"My name is Mudd", he replied.

"Huh," said the other, "you got nothing on me. My name's Dennis."

To supply the needs of Canada's mixed races the Scriptures have to be printed in over seventy languages.

His Definition.

A southern congressman recently met for the first time in some years an aged darky who was formerly in the representative's service. During their converse, the congressman learned the interesting fact that the old servant had in his advanced age, learned to read.

"Well, now, Sam," remarked the former master, "that makes things interesting for you, doesn't it? You should find pleasant companionship in that, sah. I hear given the matter considerable consideration, sah, an' I is prepared to say, sah, dat readin' is de power of learnin' with de eyes."—Lippincott's.

By possessing 2,976 1-4 miles of railway lines the Great Western Railway holds the record for Great Britain.

Sillicus—"What is the first thing a fellow should do if he wants to please a girl?"

Cynicus—"Make a fool of himself over her."—Philadelphia Record.

In the Argentine Republic a law has been recently passed making it compulsory for all citizens to vote.

The railway strike last August caused the Great Western Railway Company a net loss of nearly $500,000.

A bold front will not hold out very long without good backing.

QUEBEC FARMER TELLS GOOD NEWS

FOUND COMPLETE CURE FOR CRAMPS AND KIDNEY DISEASE.

Suffered For Six Years, But Found Health and New Life in Dodd's Kidney Pills—Warm Praise For Old Reliable Remedy.

Marie Rest, Bonaventure Co., Quebec.—(Special).—Mr. Peter Bernard, a prosperous young farmer living near here, is spreading the good news that he has found a complete cure for his kidney troubles.

"I suffered for six years from cramps in the muscles and kidney disease," Mr. Bernard says, "but Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me completely! Yes, I am feeling so well that I want other sufferers to know just how easy it is to be cured."

It is a good old saying that it is easy to do anything if you just know how. And Mr. Bernard and hundreds of others are telling you just how to cure kidney disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure it. And as kidney disease is the direct cause of rheumatism, lumbago, Bright's disease, heart disease, pain in the back and urinary troubles Dodd's Kidney Pills cure them by removing the cause. If you haven't used Dodd's Kidney Pills yourself ask your neighbors about them.

Long-Lived Musicians.

A physician with a weakness for statistics has been studying (says the Family Doctor) the effect of wind instruments on the life of musicians. The average life of the wind instrumentalist artist is 63, that of others is 52. Thirty-four per cent. of the former category attain 70 years. Performers on the flute reach on the average the age of 61, while the hautbois executant lives two years longer. Buglers go two years better, and the clarionet players live till he is 65. He of the cornet only fails the allotted span by one year. The ophicleide artist beats them all. His time of life is from 76 to 80.

Worms That Eat Iron.

A feasible explanation of the disease which attacks old metal coins is suggested by the recent discovery of some Italian engineers of a microbe which feeds on iron. The discovery was made through the frequency with which railways accidents occurred in one particular portion of the railroad in a certain district.

An examination of the rails was made and the presence of severe corrosion was revealed. A rail was taken up and broken. It was then found to be hollow, and further examination showed the presence of a thin, grey, threadlike worm about a third of an inch in length. A careful examination was made of the habits and appearance of this worm.

Upon its head it carried two little glands filled with a corrosive secretion, which it ejected every few minutes on to the iron. The ejection had the property of rendering the iron soft and spongy, when the worm at once proceeded to devour it.—The Chicago Tribune.

"Dat man dat owns de window I does buy," said Plodmimus Jim; "he motioned wif his hand an' showed me a piece of candy till I got in reach. Den he smacked me 'cross de ear."

"Wha't," ejaculated Mammy Brown "I speck he mus' be a member of de deef an' dumb branch o' de Ananias Club."—Washington Star.

Affectionate.

Scads—Blinks is a lucky old dog; his wife fairly worships him!

Stacks—Yes, but she carries it too far sometimes. I was out there to dinner unexpectedly the other day, and she served up a burnt offering.—Judge.

Americans spend over $1,500,000 a year on chewing-gum and $75,000,000 on "candy."

There are nearly 23,000 locomotives employed on the various railways in the United Kingdom.

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The earliest mention of coal is in the writtings of Theophrastus, a Greek philosopher, who lived about 300 B.C.

"This show cost the producer $30,000."

"I'm glad of it."—Washington Herald.

Dress Warmly To Avoid Colds

Fully 50 Per Cent. of Colds Directly Traceable to Insufficient Clothing.

DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE

Few people are careful enough in regulating the clothing to meet the changes of temperature. And until more attention is given to dressing suitably there is little chance to check the increase of the great white plague.

By unduly exposing the throat and chest, by wearing thin shoes, by insufficient protection to the body, by passing quickly from overheated rooms to the chilly outdoor air—colds are contracted and too often neglected until serious developments arise.

Avoid colds by every means possible, and if so unfortunate as to contract a cold, check it quickly by using Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

No treatment for coughs and colds ever had such an enormous sale in this country. The reason is not far to seek. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is no mere cough mixture. It is a medicine of thorough and far-reaching action on the human system.

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Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, 25 cents a bottle, family size, 60 cents, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Short Kings and Tall Queens.

Many European monarchs are of shorter stature than their queens. George V. is several inches shorter than Queen Mary. The German Empress is slightly taller than the Kaiser, and it is alleged that when they are being photographed together William sees that the Queen takes a seat while he himself stands. The Czar of all the Russias is by no means as tall as his consort, and Alfonso of Spain is said to be a head shorter than Queen Victoria. Queen Victoria of Italy hardly reaches to the shoulders of her Montenegran wife. The Queen of Denmark, too, is taller than her husband. Exceptions are the King of Norway and the King of the Belgians. The latter, six feet two inches in height, is the tallest ruler in Europe.—Harper's Weekly.

Whistles and His Door opens.

There is in Swindon, England, who surely must combine the two characteristics of laziness and invention to a remarkable degree. It is his custom to have his breakfast in bed, and, burdened with the trouble of getting out of bed for the purpose of unlocking his bedroom door, he has invented a door which opens to his whistle.

He has accomplished this somewhat elaborately by the aid of a simple electromagnet which draws the bolt when a current passes through it, platinum points and a wire attached to the sameetooth etso wire attuned to a certain note. When this note, or one of its octaves, is sounded in the bedroom, it has a response, and this vibration brings it in contact with the platinum point. The circuit is thus completed and a sensitive relay is brought into operation.—The Chicago Tribune.

Some of the savages in South America exclude women folk from every sort of public amusement, such as dancing, feasting, celebrating and drinking and carousing. At such times the women are kept busy serving the savages with roasted monkeys, stewed turtles and other delicacies, which the women make by primitive processes of fermentation. If they can afford it, the savages have several wives each, some of the young men carrying on the custom of stealing young girls from neighboring tribes. The savage complains big having several wives: "This one does only garden work, and does it so wel I keep her at it." Of another he will say: She is fine at making intoxicating beverages, and so on.—New York Press.

A Tribute to Birds.

Our birds are subject for wonder and admiration, not only for their beauty, grace and attributes of another kind that distinguish them as skilful and ingenious architects of their own dwellings, selecting masterbroviders of proper food and shelter for their families.

They can fly, not as the ephemeral winged insect, but far and swiftly, and never lose control of their motion of all creatures, and yet it is given them to change the focus of the eye that they may secure the smallest insect for their daily meal. After the longest journey and an interval of months, they find their way home to their weather-beaten nests by a straight and unerring course, and immediately rebuild, for their mating time has come.

As to their intelligence, it is worthy of mention, perhaps, that they are extensively familiar with the "higher branches."

Not Thinking of Himself

he conjuror in the village schoolroom had invited any gentleman from the audience to step up on the platform, and a rustic in a velveteen coat responded.

"Now, sir," said the professor, "I suppose you consider it a matter of impossibility for me to make that rabbit in the box on the table pass into your coat-tail pocket."

"I dunno about impossible," came the reply, "but I wouldn't do it if I was you, sir."

"Oh, you'll be in no danger, I assure you," smiled the slight of hand man airily.

"I won't thinking about myself," the rustic answered. "I was studyin' the rabbit. I've got a couple of forrets in that there pocket."

His Rule.

"I have made it a rule through life," he said at the table the other day to a man at his left, "never to meddle with another man's business."

"That's right—perfectly right," was the reply.

"But I see you have a new confidential clerk."

"Yes, sir—yes."

"He's a rard-looking case. I have seen him intoxicated a dozen times, and I wouldn't trust him out of my sight with a sixpence. Took him out of charity, eh?"

"Why, not altogether, you know. He happens to be my eldest son."

There was a period of silence so painful that the man from some one would yell "Fire!" to break it up.

Bad Name for the Boss.

Dodgin was the new manager of a biscuit company, and Shay was a workman at the concern who liked to sneak off to a shed at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon and smoke a clay and look over the afternoon paper for half an hour or so. Well, one day as the workman sat reading and smoking in the shed Dodgin appeared.

"Who are you?" Dodgin asked, sternly, frowning at the idle workman.

The workman frowned back.

"Huh; who are you?" said he.

"I'm Dodgin, the new manager," was the reply.

At this the workman smiled.

"So am I," he said, heartily. "Come in and have a smoke."

After Many Years.

"Persistence will win any sort of a career—even matrimonial," is the conviction of Wilton Lackaye, and he illustrates it with the following story:

"She preferred the upper berth in the Pullman, and so he took the lower. After the curtains had been drawn and all was quiet in the car those near the couple heard the woman lean over and whisper to her husband:

"Peter, dear, I have at last found what I have looked for, for so many years.'

"'What's that?' inquired the bridegroom.

"'A man under my bed.'"—Young Magazine.

Oranges were purchased last year by the United Kingdom to the value of £11,600,000, and lemons to the value of £3,320,000.

The Wrong Answer.

Junior officers of the army and navy will do well to take the heart the lesson in the story told in Col. Callwell's reminiscences in Blackwood's Magazine. An irascible old admiral had apologized to a junior officer for his hastiness. The subaltern, wishing to appear magnanimous, replied: "Oh, that's all right, sir. I really did not mind what you said a bit." "D—n you, sir," thundered the admiral. "What do you mean by that? You don't mind what I say a bit, don't you?" whereupon the young officer got a worse going-over than ever.—Army and Navy Journal.

Quite naturally the standing joke is apt to become very tiresome.

We do not always meet misfortune; quite as often it overtakes us.

Since 1870 nearly ten thousand lives in the United Kingdom have been saved by means of the rocket apparatus.

Fond Mother—To be quite frank, doctor, the poor girl has been eating her heart out.

Doctor—Ah, that's very imprudent. I'll have to order a change of diet.—Boston Transcript.

In France, juvenile crime has decreased by thirty per cent. among boys and forty-two per cent. among girls since 1882.

By the end of this year France will have 944 aeroplanes, and the total expenditure on airships and aeroplanes for 1912 will be £6,400,000.

Including battleships, armored cruisers, cruisers, and torpedo-boats, the total number of vessels, built and being built, in the Germany Navy is 235.

In migration some of the tiniest birds are the best travelers.

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Lake Champlain	Thurs., " 11	
Empress of Ireland	Friday, " 19	
Lake Manitoba	Thurs., " 25	

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THE MARTIN BOLE & WYNNE CO., WINNIPEG, CANADA

"ORANGE LILY SAVED MY LIFE"

These words or expressions having the same meaning are contained in hundreds of the letters I have received during the past year. Many were from women who had suffered agonies from falling of womb; others from ulceration, others from the serious surgical operations, as the tumors grew and grew. Others ran-ed by the action of Orange Lily and others who had suffered from suppressed menstruation, leucorrhoea, painful periods. For all these and the other troubles known to the sex, Orange Lily furnishes a positive, scientific, never-failing cure. It is as a trial actually proves its merit, I hereby offer to send, absolutely free, a box to every suffering woman who will write for it. Inclose 2 stamps. MRS. FRANCES E. CURRAH, Windsor, Ont.

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15 Lots Sold In the Past Week at Advanced Prices

There is sure to be another 25 per cent increase by May 1st.

Get in on the ground floor while the prices are right.

We offer the following snaps in the Original Townsite for cash

Lots 15,16,17, 18, blk. 44, $175 ea.
Lot 10, blk. 7, Main St - $1150
One of the Best Business Lot in Wainwright
Lot 3, blk. 41, Seventh Ave. $175
Lot 24, blk. 6, Second Ave. 400
Lot 14,15,blk 18, Fourth Ave. $225 ea
Lot 13,blk. 16 with house $525 ea.
Rents for $6 per month

Wainwright Realty Co.

Town of Wainwright BY-LAW NO. 35

A By-law authorizing the ratification of a certain agreement made between the Town of Wainwright and one, Charles E. Bird, of the city of Minneapolis, for the construction and operation of a flour and grist mill in the Town of Wainwright and providing for the issue of debentures of the Town of Wainwright to the amount of $11,500.00 for the purpose of carrying out the undertakings entered into by the Town in the said agreement.

WHEREAS the Council of the Town of Wainwright on the third day of April A. D. 1912 duly entered into an agreement with one, Charles E. Bird, of the city of Minneapolis in the state of Minnesota, subject to the ratification thereof by the ratepayers of the Town of Wainwright, in accordance with the provisions of "The Town Act" which agreement is in the words and figures following, that is to say;

THIS AGREEMENT made this third day of April A. D. 1912 BETWEEN The Town of Wainwright, Parties of the First Part, AND Charles E. Bird, of the city of Minneapolis, in the State of Minnesota, Party of the Second Part.

WHEREAS the said party of the Second Part intends building a flour and grist mill at the Town of Wainwright, and for such purpose has requested the parties of the First Part to assist him, by providing a free hold site for such mill, upon trackage property, by exempting the said site from taxation for a period of ten years and by lending to the said party of the Second Part the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) upon the security of the first mortgage upon the said land and mill;

NOW THEREFORE THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH that the said parties hereto do hereby mutually covenant, promise and agree with other as follows:

THE TOWN OF WAINWRIGHT AGREES:

1. To furnish the said party of the Second Part with a suitable freehold site for the said mill upon trackage property, and if necessary, to construct a side track from such property to connect with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, such site to be procured and track constructed as soon as conveniently may be, after the completion of this agreement and the ratification of the By-law hereinafter mentioned by the ratepayers of the Town of Wainwright, provided that the cost of the said site and construction of side track shall not exceed the sum of $1500.00.

2. To exempt the said lands from taxation for a period of ten years from the thirty first day of December A. D. 1912.

3. To lend to the said party of the Second Part the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000.00) upon a first mortgage of the said site and mill, such mortgage to be repayable in eight equal annual installments of one thousand dollars each, commencing with a date two years from the date of the said mortgage, and the final payment of two thousand dollars ten years from the date thereof, together with the interest annually upon the said sum or so much thereof as may from time to time remain unpaid, at a rate not exceeding 6% per annum.

PROVIDED ALWAYS that it shall lie within the jurisdiction of the said Town to undertake its agreement, and PROVIDED that should it be necessary for such purpose to secure the consent of the ratepayers of the said Town thereto, and a By-law be submitted to them, that their consent be obtained thereto in accordance with the provisions of "the Town Act".

AND THE SAID C. E. BIRD AGREES:

1. That he will construct, equip and operate a flour and grist mill in the said Town of Wainwright, in accordance with the plans thereof hereto annexed, and which are made a part of this agreement, PROVIDED that the said plans may be changed or modified with the consent of the said parties of the first Part.

That he will use all diligence to start the construction thereof and carry the same to completion as soon as conveniently may be, after being assured by the parties of the First Part that they are able to carry out the conditions and provisoes to which their part of this agreement is subject. That the machinery and plant to be placed in the said mill by the said party of the Second Part shall be a standard flour mill, with all the necessary machinery and parts for running the same, of a capacity of from 100 to 125 barrels per day, as manufactured by the Wolff Manufacturing Company, and of the estimated value F. O. B. Wainwright of about $13,000.00. That he will properly construct the said mill and instill the machinery therein in accordance with the said plans and specifications at the estimated cost of $1500.00 for the building, and $2000.00 for the instalation of the machinery.

2. That he will place in charge of the said mill a competent miller, and hands sufficient to operate the same, and that he will keep the said mill in operation during the currency of the mortgage to be taken thereon.

3. That he will make prices on all products of the said mill low enough to meet the competition from other mills, provided he shall not be required to meet prices below the cost of production and a reasonable profit thereon.

4. That he will give to the said parties of the First Part a first mortgage free from all encumbrance, with the usual covenants, upon the said site and property for the repayment of the said loan in accordance with the terms herein before stated.

5. That he will give to the Parties of the First Part a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $10,000.00 in a bond Company authorized to transact business in the Province of Alberta for the performance of this Contract.

It is understood that the covenants, conditions and promises herein contained shall enure to and be binding upon, the Heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the parties hereto, respectively.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said parties of the First Part have executed these presents by causing the Corporate Seal of the said Town of Wainwright and the signature of their Mayor and Secretary to be thereto affixed, and the Party of the Second Part has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the presence of (Signed)
W. T. Barr

The Town of Wainwright.
(Signed) H. Y. Pawling, Mayor.
H. V. Fieldhouse, Secrctary-Treas. Chgs. E. Bird.

AND WHEREAS in order to carry out the terms of the said agreement it will be necessary to borrow the sum of $11500.00 and to issue debentures of the said Town of Wainwright therefor (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the said purpose and to no other.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to make the principal of the said debt under this By-law repayable at the end of twenty years from the date thereof, and to make the rate of interest five and one half per cent per annum, payable annually.

AND WHEREAS the total amount required by "The Town Act" to be raised annually by special rate for paying the said debt and interest is the sum of $1003.85; whereof $632.50 is to be so raised annually for payment of interest during the currency of the said debentures, and $371.35 is to be so raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for payment of the debt secured by the said debentures.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Town of Wainwright according the last revised assessment roll thereof, is the sum of $666,764.00.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the Town of Wainwright is the sum of $46,500.00, and no part of either the principal or interest is in arrear.

NOW THEREFORE THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WAINWRIGHT ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The said herein before recited agreement made between the Town of Wainwright and Charles E. Bird is hereby ratified and confirmed.

2. The Council of the said Town of Wainwright is authorized to expend such sum or sums of money as to them may seem expedient, but in no case exceeding the sum of $1500.00 in purchasing and conveying to the said Charles E. Bird, lots fourteen (14) to nineteen (19) inclusive, in block one (1) in the Townsite of Wainwright according to a plan of the said Townsite registered in the Land Titles Office at Edmonton as plan number 6445V, and in providing a side track from the rails of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company to connect with the said property.

3. The said land being lots fourteen (14) to nineteen (19) inclusive, in block one (1) as aforesaid, is hereby exempted from taxation for a period of ten years from the 31st day of December A. D. 1912.

4. The Council of the Town of Wainwright is authorized to lend to the said Charles E. Bird the sum of $10,000.00 upon the security of a first mortgage on the said herein before mentioned property, being lots fourteen (14) to nineteen (19) inclusive in block one (1), such mortgage to be repayable in accordance with the terms mentioned in the above recited agreement and to bear interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

5. For the purpose of raising the said sum of $11500.00 required for the said purpose, debentures of the said Town of Wainwright to the said amount of $11,500.00 in the whole shall be issued in sums of not less than $500.00 each as follows: $11,500.00 on the 1st day of June A. D. 1912, each of which debentures shall be dated on the day of its issue, and shall be made payable on the first day of June A. D. 1912, together with interest annually upon the principal sum of money, and payable at the Merchants Bank of Canada in the Town of Wainwright in the Province of Alberta.

6. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the Mayor and the Treasurer of the said Town of Wainwright, or by some other person or persons authorized by By-law to sign the same, and the secretary of the said Town of Wainwright shall attach thereto the Corporate seal of the said Town of Wainwright.

7. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five and one half per cent per annum, payable at the Merchants Bank of Canada, Wainwright, Alberta, on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency thereof, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the said instalments of interest, which coupon shall be signed by the Mayor and Treasurer of the Town of Wainwright, or by some other person or persons authorized by By-law to sign the same.

8. During the currency of the said debentures there shall be raised annually by a special debenture rate on all rateable property in the said Town in the same manner as the ordinary general taxes of the town, the sum of $1003.85, whereof $632.50 is to be so raised annually for payment of interest during the currency of the said debentures and $371.35 is to be so raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for payment of the debt secured by the said debentures.

9. This By-law shall take effect on the first day of June A. D. 1912.

10. The votes of the Burgesses of the said Town of Wainwright shall be taken on Monday the 27th day of May A. D. 1912, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and continuing until 7 o'clock in the afternoon at the Council Chamber in the said Town of Wainwright by Mr. H. V. Fieldhouse, Secretary Treasurer of the said Town, who is hereby named and appointed Returning Officer for taking the said votes.

11. The Returning Officer shall attend at the Council Chamber in the Town of Wainwright at 7.30 in the afternoon of the 27th day of May A. D. 1912 to sum up the number of votes for and against this By-law.

Read a first and second time and passed provisionally in Council this 30th day of April A. D. 1912.

H. V. Fieldhouse,
Sec. Treas.

H. Y. Pawling,
Mayor.

The above is a true copy of a proposed By-law which has been introduced and which will be finally passed by the Council in the event of the assent of the Burgesses being obtained thereto, within four weeks of the voting thereon, and that upon the day and at the place or places fixed for taking the vote of the burgesses the voting thereon will be held between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and seven o'clock in the afternoon.

H. V. Fieldhouse,
Returning Officer.

Why Not Give Your Body a Spring House Cleaning?

It is reasonable.

You stay indoors too much all winter—you breathe the foul air—you sleep in close rooms and you eat too much. In fact your winter life is pretty much artificial and unnatural.

Then why not renovate your whole system this spring.

Take a short-cut to youth and energy
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But Nyal's Spring Tonic is a regular up-to date vacuum cleaner by comparison. Gives new snap and vim—puts life and spring into your muscles—makes you feel fit and ready.

If it isn't worth a dollar a bottle you can have your money back cheerfully.

The Wainwright Pharmacy
MAIN STREET - WAINWRIGHT

GO-CARTS, — Yes for nifty styles at the lowest prices, call on W. Small & Co.

Provincial Librarian

VOTE ON FLOUR MILL BY-LAW MAY 27th.

Farmers have made the great, wide West. They will continue to make it grow, and finally establish it as the most prosperous country in the World. Before they can do this they must get a square deal. Better prices for their grain will assist. A flour mill will help A FLOUR MILL WILL NETT THE FARMERS LARGER RETURNS BY 25 PER CENT

THE WAINWRIGHT STAR

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HOW MERCHANTS COULD BENEFIT AND TOWNS PROSPER

Agitation Has Started in Ontario and Legislation will be Applied for to Tax Mail Order Houses which Send Catalogues into All the Small Towns

Here is an opportunity for the local board of trade to gain far-famed prominence and their example will be emulated by every single town in not only Alberta, but in every province in Western Canada.

Towns in Ontario are at present negotiating with the legislature of that province for the necessary powers to impose a tax on all catalogue houses. What the conditions of such legislation would be is impossible to say. As any rate an endeavor will be made to get to the root of this evil to retail merchants, and thereby protect them as they are being protected against new business houses in their own towns.

It is obvious that these catalogue houses are getting the best trade out of the country while the retail merchant must run his business on a credit basis, and stand the risk of losses through bad debts. On the other hand, the catalogue houses get a very large percentage of the cash in the community, and they pay absolutely nothing for that profitable privilege.

If the governments of the country continue to allow this evil to grow, retail houses are in a fair way to become entirely extinguished. The methods employed by the catalogue houses are becoming more aggressive as time passes and retail merchants must suffer as a consequence. It is clearly evident that something must be done to check their influence and further protect the interests of the home dealer.

The adoption of such a scheme would undoubtedly meet with the approval of the majority, and no plebiscite would be necessary to prove it unanimously popular. The circulation of an immoth politicos would assist in a campaign of this kind and convince the government that such drastic steps are necessary to curtail the practices of the catalogue houses.

Melville appreciated the offer of a good thing and voted almost solidly for a flour mill. The vote took place on Friday, April 26th., and the result was as follows, for the by-law 218; against, 14; spoiled ballots, 2. One would call this confidence of the first water, and the vote on a similar issue here should result in like manner.

Mrs. M. L. Forster and children were visitors to Edmonton this week, returning here in company with Mr. Forster on yesterday's express.

STATION GROUNDS TAKE ON FINE APPEARANCE

The station grounds are gradually being put into the shape that was intended by Professor Broderick who surveyed out the premises last year. Conductor Johnston has worked on the contract for a few days and has levelled off the ground with good results. The presence of more than a dozen teams working around the station has created a fine appearance for passengers who have passed through and comments of a most favourable nature have resulted.

GRAND MASTER I.O.O.F. MADE OFFICIAL VISIT

Newly-Appointed Grand Master Brown is Visiting Every Lodge in Alberta

Local Odd Fellows turned out in large numbers on Monday evening on the occasion of the visit of several very distinguished visitors, Grand Master Al. G. Brown, District Deputy Grand Master Barber and several other prominent Odd Fellows of the province. This is the first visit here of any Grand Master since the lodge was instituted and Grand Master Brown is making official visits to every subordinate lodge in Alberta this year.

BRICK YARD MAN MUST ACT AT ONCE

It is evident that unless John Taylor, manager and owner of the local brick yard, acts immediately something will be done by the board of trade to get this industry started for the season and thereby establish a manufacture which has been pronounced upon as productive of excellent results. The board of trade has not done the pronouncing either. A contractor from Edmonton who had occasion to visit here last week inspected the brick yard and stated that the clay deposits were the best he had ever seen and the brick were superior to any in Alberta.

This contractor was Mr. Pickering who has the contracts for the erection of two hundred houses in Edmonton this summer, all of which will be brick. He stated to the board of trade that it was impossible for him to get any great quantity of brick, and he was willing to place an order with the local yard for the entire output this season. He further stated that if the brick yard was not started in the near future he would feel disposed to put in a plant himself and turn out what he considers the best brick in the province.

Mr. Taylor has since been interviewed by the board of trade and an answer was asked for without delay. Mr. Taylor has been awaiting certain English capital which he expects any day, and with which he intends to carry on the work here this summer. It is evident that if something is not immediately done, outside parties will take up the proposition and put in an entirely new plant.

FLOUR MILL WILL BE FIRST OF INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES

Establishment of Flour Mill Here Means that Other Industries will be Located at this Point --- By-Laws Authorizing Loan of $11,5000 Appears with this Issue and Should be Read by Every Ratepayer

RESULT OF POLLS SHOULD BE UNANIMOUSLY FAVOURABLE

Wainwright's evolution has submitted to the inevitable and must now experience the changes brought about by the establishment of industrial pursuits within the confines of the town. It has been given a veritable push by the decision of the municipal council to submit a by-law, authorizing the loan of $11,500 to one, Charles E. Bird of the city of Minneapolis, in the state of Minnesota, who will, in the event of a favourable vote by the ratepayers, erect and operate a flour mill of a capacity of one hundred and twenty-five barrels per day.

The articles and agreements entered into between the town and Mr. Bird appear with this issue, and they should be eagerly scanned by each and every ratepayer. It is immediately that citizens and other ratepayers should become fully conversant with the facts, which are fully set forth in the by-law, appearing on page four of this issue. It will readily be seen by a brief pursual that no loop hole is left, whereby the city has failed to guarantee the ratepayers against loss of money or interest accruing therefrom. The agreement is iron-clad and the town will act in the capacity of Trustees to both the erection and the final operation of the mill.

For many moons, farmers in the immediate vicinity of the town have agitated incessantly for an industry of this kind, claiming that profitable grain-growing was being fearfully impaired by the lack of sufficient efficiency in the disposal of their grain. Petitions have been circulated. Letters of recommendation have been written. Agitation has been rife in all quarters of the district and even from farmers and grain-growers who live remote from the town. In this connection, the numerous suggestions of Mr. Frank Rack will not be easily forgotten. There must have been some cause for agitation in this respect, and there was further cause when Mr. Bird appeared with his proposals and was confident that this industry would benefit all concerned.

It would appear from what has been seen of interested parties that the submission of this by-law would result in almost a unanimous vote in its favour. In this case, Mr. Bird, who proposes to erect this industrial establishment here, will start immediately and the mill will be in operation before fall. It would be a great misfortune were any material opposition shown to this by-law, and it is thought that the result will show a solid vote in its favour, yet none of us can afford to idly stand by, and wait for others to register their votes. Each and every ratepayer should make it a point to be at the poll and cast his vote as he sees fit, and to all who have observed and can further observe the future there is but one conclusion that must eventually be arrived at.

TOM CRAMPTON CLAIMS THIS FIND IS GENUINE

It is again claimed that gold lies under the premises of the Park Hotel, and new pieces of quartz have been unearthed which resemble this valuable yellow metal. This time, particles of quartz have been taken from the cess pool which is being constructed and certain parties are strongly of the opinion that the new find is real gold. Tom Crampton is the prospector and he may stake a claim nearby.

By-Elections will be Held on May 27th.

Five by-elections will be held in the province, and the date has been fixed for Monday, May 27th. On his decision to take into the cabinet four new members, Premier Sifton will hold these by-elections in the constituencies of Edmonton, Sturgeon, Chrisholm and Sedgewick, where each seat will be contested by conservative candidates who are already in the field.

Wrestling matches can be witnessed for ten cents these days, and a bout of this kind was held on Monday evening in the Auditorium between "Art Trenouth and DeForest Clyne. Betting was heavy and a certain prominent citizen won as much as $2. Clyne came off victorious, and won the entire gate receipts of $2.50. Many were confident that the bout had been "fixed".

CONTRACT LET FOR THE PRINTING OF PAMPHLET

Work will be Executed Promptly and without Delay --- Will Consist of Twelve Double Pages

The contract for the board of trade pamphlets has been let and in a short time will be ready for circulation. It will consist of twelve pages and will be illustrated throughout with scenes in both the town and the district. In fact it is expected that the little booklet will be one of most attractive and interesting ever put out by any town in the province.

The different members of the board of trade have displayed a great interest in the several writeups for the pamphlet, and their efforts at the pen have shown most satisfactory results. President James has written on the G. T. P. and the railway prospects for the town. A. E. Mills and R. B. Davison have written up the advantages of farming in the district. H. C. King and C. T. Lally have devoted their time to the buffalo and certain general information which will prove of interest to prospect settlers. E. N. C. Tanguay and W. Small have also flourished their pens with good results. Each member has taken his share of the work and will claim credit for the results which will surely follow.

Herb Crampton, who has been working in Messrs. Washburn & Mills' hardware store for sometime past, has accepted a position with Messrs. Ross Bros. of Edmonton, and has already assumed his work in that city. His local friends wish him every success in the Capital City.

SCOTCH LAD WAS UP ON BREACH CHARGE

Archie Wilson, a Scotch lad whose fare was paid to this country by Richard Aykroyd on a contract that he work six months, was up before the cadi on Monday evening, on a charge of having left his master's service, contrary to the Masters and Servants Act. Justice of the Peace Dawson who tried the case imposed a fine of $30 and costs or thirty days jail. He paid the fine. It is understood that the case will be appealed.

Mrs. Hyslop Suddenly Disappears in Edmonton

Mrs. William Hyslop, who formerly resided here and who was well and favorably known as an experienced nurse, has mysteriously disappeared in the city of Edmonton and her whereabouts are being advertised for by her husband who is naturally much alarmed. Mrs. Hyslop it seems left her home at Elm Park on May 1st., and started for the city. Nothing has been heard of her since that time.

Local friends and acquaintances who have learned of Mrs. Hyslop's disappearance have also expressed their anxiety for her return.

The town ladies have taken very favorably to trap shooting and practise shoots have already been held. Good averages are being made by certain ladies, and in many cases a great deal better than experienced trap shots who have followed the sport for sometime. It is stated that weekly shoots will be engaged in shortly.

WHEAT IS ABOVE GROUND TWO INCHES EAST OF HERE

Certain farmers east of town lay claim to the earliest crops in the district, some claiming that their wheat is above the ground more than two inches. At this time of the year such a showing is remarkably good and the recent wet weather has assisted to a large extent.

As much flax is being planted this year as last, despite the partial failure in this crop. Oats and barley are also being sown in abundance. Prospects thus far are very promising and farmers are optimistic.

BATTLEFORD LINE WILL SURELY REACH HERE

General Passenger Agent Hinton Almost Assures Town that Line will Reach Here

In an interview with General Passenger Agent Hinton last week, President James of the local board of trade was informed that the Battleford line would eventually run into Wainwright, and such were the present intentions of the Grand Trunk Pacific. When the line would reach here was another matter, and a delay would be due to the fact that steel is at present unprocurable. The line would this year be extended beyond the provincial border.

BURNS MATCH IS EVINCING MUCH INTEREST

Indications point to the Burns-Connell fight being of even greater interest than was at first anticipated. Practically all the reserved seats for the match are now sold and they number in the vicinity of 5,000. The fight will take place in the Thistle Rink at Edmonton and will be attended by sports from all over the province.

From the fact that Burns hails from Calgary, and Connell from Edmonton, it is thought that betting between the two cities will be exceptionally heavy. Outside of what will be transacted between these two cities, local parties will also put amounts into the hands of stakeholders, and the chances taken will probably be on Connell, who is none other than Howard who has wrestled here on several occasions and who is well known to local sports.

The match will take place on May 23rd. Several local parties have already engaged ringside seats. The referee has not as yet been decided on.

Several prairie fires have been witnessed north of the town recently, and although they are some distance away, they must be doing damage somewhere. Residents of the outlying districts should still maintain strict caution in this respect, even if the season is more advanced.

BOARD OF TRADE REFUSED TO SAY EITHER YEA OR NAY

Fault Found with Article on the Removal of the Buffalo Board of Trade Refuses In Giving an Answer Popular Opinion Might not be Expressed

Objections have been taken by certain citizens to an editorial recently appearing through these columns advocating that ten thousand acres of the buffalo park be thrown open for homesteading, with the claim that this action would be hailed with general favor. Now it appears that Superintendant Ellis has asked the board of trade for an expression of opinion in this respect and for some reason, which appears obvious, a non-committal answer was ordered forwarded to the authorities.

There is little need of further prolonging this discussion, yet it might be said that the article referred to has had many supporters, who claim that the buffalo park should not be strongly featured in advertising Wainwright. When the matter came up for discussion in the board of trade, the members were rather reticent, and an opinion either one way or the other was not freely expressed. At any rate, a decided answer was not made to the request, for the board considered and considered wisely that by taking a stand either way, the popular opinion of the town might not be expressed.

GILT EDGE RESIDENT SUCCUMBS AFTER A LINGERING ILLNESS

After an illness of several months duration, Mr. Thomas McClennan succumbed on Monday evening at the home of his brother, Charles, at Gilt Edge, his death being due to typhoid which he contracted in Ontario last fall. The late Mr. McClennan came west with the hope that he would completely recover, but the infection had settled on his lungs and he gradually grew worse. It was thought, however, that he was showing some improvement of late, but he suffered an ill turn last week which resulted in his death.

The deceased was aged 30 years and nine months and was unmarried. He is survived by seven brothers, four of which, Joseph, Charles, Fred and Norman, reside in Gilt Edge, and three in North Dakota.

The funeral is being held this afternoon, Rev. H. A. Clark officiating. Burial will be made at the rural cemetary and Small Bros. will be the undertakers in charge.

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The offences were as follows:

Selling liquor during prohibited hours	1
Having liquor in prohibited area	2
Interdiction offences	13
Refusing to quit licensed premises	1
Liquor in houses of ill-fame	2
Selling liquor without a license	70
Opium cases	18

The amount collected in fines aggregated a considerable sum:

Fines under interdictions	$223.00
Fines from non-licensse	9,308.00
Fines from licenses	50.00
	$9,581.00

The fines varied from $1 to $300. In four cases there were terms of imprisonment. This return should show offenders against the license laws that the men of the department, the Mounted Police, and the various law officers throughout the country are on the trail all the time for law brekers.

On Saturday, before Inspector Belcher at Pincher Creek, Inspector Whittaker and Detective Hodgkins prosecuted a case against a Chinaman for having for sale a quantity of Chinese liquor. A fine of $100 was inflicted and the liquor destroyed. Following upon this conviction and the recent Calgary convictions, the question might reasonably be asked: How is this Chinese liquor getting into Canada and Alberta?

NOTICE

On and after the expiration of 30 clear days from the date of this notice, that is, on and after the 27th of May, 1912, the available quarter sections in the following townships will be open for entry by the first eligible applicants:

	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.
All of	67	12	4
All of	50	12	5
N. ½ Secs. 31 to 36, inclusive,	49	14	5
All of	57	15	5
All of	51	16	5
N. ½ Secs. 25 to 30, inclusive,	54	17	5
All secs. 31 to 36, inclusive,	54	17	5
All of	50	20	5

A plan of any township above mentioned may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada, for the sum of ten cents.

Dated at Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 20th day of April, 1912.

H. W. Clarke,
Acting Agent Dominion Lands.

TENDERS

Sealed applications marked "tender" for the position of Weed Inspector of the Local Improvement District 24 C-4 will be received by the undersigned up to June 1st. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. W. Hansen,
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May 31	Paid up Capital	Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits	Total Deposits	Total Assets
1900	$6,000,000	$2,650,686	$17,008,304	$29,583,521
1902	6,000,000	2,725,305	20,892,805	34,168,284
1904	6,000,000	3,218,959	25,969,153	39,682,572
1906	6,000,000	3,674,596	35,506,959	49,541,955
Nov. 30				
1908	6,000,000	4,400,997	41,327,872	56,508,625
1910	6,000,000	4,999,297	54,779,014	71,660,058
1911	6,000,000	5,458,878	63,494,580	81,928,961

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Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within 9 miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a 1-4 section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry, including the time required to earn homestead patent and cultivate fifty acres extra.

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